

Flying Fiberglass

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Corvette Club of Western Pennsylvania's

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Welcome Message

April turned out to be a pretty good month in a number of ways. We were able to have a membership meeting and get together again as a club. We were also able to make some plans for some things we could do as a club as restrictions start to ease and more of us are vaccinated and more comfortable being out and about. The weather was nice enough to bring our cars out of storage and even take to the road again for a bit. So things are starting to look up.

Our next membership meeting is set for Tuesday, May 11th at the Boulevard in Delmont. We are also making plans for our summer pizza meetings and annual picnic. Due to a number of factors we did not have an election this year and those members who currently hold an office have agreed to serve again. We still have some positions that need to be filled and we ask that you consider volunteering to fill them. The only way we can continue as a club is with the help of the membership, either by filling those positions or, at the very least, stepping up to help plan some events for the club.

To recap, the positions that still need filled are: President, Secretary and Socials. There were a couple of events that some members attended in April. One was the Irwin Show and another was the Quaker Steak & Lube show in Sharon. These were positive signs that there will be some things out there for the Club to enjoy. Although the Monroeville 4th of July parade was cancelled we are planning on taking part in the Parade to celebrate Wilkins Townships 200th anniversary in September. There is also an event planned at Keystone Raceway for Memorial Day weekend that we might want to consider.

It is also time to renew your membership for the next year as we look forward to better times for all. The application is in this Newsletter.

We again want to thank everyone for their continued support through these trying times and hope to see more events being planned as we go forward.

As you know we have managed to operate without a President but how much longer the Club can continue that way is up in the air. Now would be a good time to consider taking a role in running the Club. So many people do so much to make our Club an outstanding organization that it is impossible to name them all. The Board would like to send out a big **Thank You** again to everyone who has participated in and helped at any of our events. You are the heart and soul of CCWP.

If anyone has any ideas they would like the Board to consider for the coming year, please contact any board member or attend a Board meeting. They are held the 1st Tuesday of the month at the Boulevard in Delmont.

Reminder: Our next membership meeting is scheduled to be held on **Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at the Boulevard in Delmont**. The meeting starts at 7:00 but you can come early and enjoy dinner with your fellow club members.



"THE OLDEST AND ONE OF THE LARGEST CORVETTE CLUBS IN PENNSYLVANIA"

2021 Vintage Grand Prix



The Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix is now scheduled for July, 2021.
The Corvette will remain the Marque Car for this year's event

There are a number of events scheduled for the week prior to the actual race weekend, July 24 & 25, 2021. In order to adhere to Covid protocols and keep everyone safe, the PVGP is requiring entrants to sign up and pay online so that you can print out a personalized bar coded confirmation page that you will present on your entry to Schenley Park. Online registration closes **Thursday, July 22, 2021 at 10:00 pm**. After that you will have to pay at the gate and you will not receive a complimentary lunch.

- July 16-18 Pitt Race Complex
- July 11 Kick off Rally
- July 16 Blacktie and Tailpipes Gala
- July 19 Walnut Street Invitational Car Show
- July 20 Waterfront Car Criuse
- July 21 Downtown Car Display
- July 24-25 Race Weekend

For more detailed information check out their website: pvgp.org

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.



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.

Membership Meetings

Our next scheduled Membership Meeting will be Tuesday, May 11th.



Our last indoor Membership Meeting will be Tuesday, May 11th (the restaurant is still closed on Mondays). It will be at The Boulevard in Delmont. The meeting starts at 7:00 pm, but you can come around 6:00 if you would like to have dinner with some of your fellow club members.

We would like to give the restaurant an idea of how many people to expect, so if you are planning to attend please let Allen Young know, either by email at ayoung1210@msn.com or phone at 412-372-7802.

Hope to see you then.

Museum News-Pat Hillyard



The NCM first opened its doors to the public on Labor Day Weekend in 1994. The first expansion in 2009 almost doubled the museum's size. In order to make the necessary improvements to maintain the quality guests have come to expect, they are progressing toward a 2-story 30,000 square foot addition to the Museum. Some things that are part of the plans are specialty exhibit space and rotating displays, lifetime members lounge, open theater space, Kids Zone education center and a rooftop members lounge. At this time there is no date for completion.

The new colors for 2022 were announced at the Michelin NCM Bash. They include Hypersonic Gray Metallic, Amplify Orange Tint-coat, and Caffeine Metallic. They will replace Shadow Gray Metallic, Sebring Orange Tint-coat and Zeus Bronze Metallic.

On Tuesday of the Michelin Bash Week the club room was unveiled. It has been named the Wendell Strode Club Room to honor the contribution that Wendell Strode made to the NCM for nearly three decades.

Beginning Memorial Day Weekend visitors to the Museum will have the opportunity visit a new exhibit titled Corvette Powered. The exhibit will showcase vehicles, specifically mid-century non-General Motors/non-Corvette vehicles, that utilized Corvette engines and drivelines.

Check out the Museum website for more information about the Museum and Motorsports Park or to check out upcoming activities.

www.corvettemuseum.org

May Birthdays – Allen Young



4th	Mary Jane Theis	16th	Jim Wainwright	22nd	Tanya Simchick
6th	Louise Bertone	17th	Bobbi Patrizio	25th	MaryIn Octave
8th	Stevie Kline	20th	Clem Zahrobsky	29th	Georgeann Young
11th	William Kirkpatrick	21st	John Putzier	30th	Charles DeLuzio
13th	Bob Whitesides				

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Upcoming 2019 Club Activities

May 4, 2021	May Board Meeting
May 11, 2021	May Membership meeting (note: this is Tuesday)
June 1, 2021	June Board Meeting
June 14, 2021	June Membership Meeting
June 20, 2021	Norwin Elks Fathers Day Show
July 20, 2021	Waterfront Car Cruise

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.ccvp.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.

Wilkins Township Parade



Wilkins Township is celebrating their 200th anniversary this year and they sent us a request to participate in a parade they are planning for September 18, 2021 to mark the event.

In the past we have participated in parades and had a great time and hopefully by September things will be under control enough that we will be able to join in the parade.

So mark your calendars and watch for more information as we get closer to the date.

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

Joseph & Sandra Dykta

North Huntingdon, PA

2020 Torch Red Coupe

For Sale



1979 White Corvette with Red Interior and T-tops.

Automatic.

84,209 miles-Motor was replaced with Goodwrench crate engine at 79, 338 miles. New motor had 4,871 miles on it.

Good Condition.

Asking \$6,500.



If interested contact Gary Rogers at 412-303-5093 or grr644@gmail.com

Car Cruises

Thursdays in May starting May 6th	Lamplighter Restaurant in Delmont	5:00pm
Saturdays in May starting, May 8th	Murrysview Shoppes, Monroeville	4:30 pm
Tuesdays in May starting May 4th	Plum Boro America Legion Post 980	5:00 pm (Saltsburg Rd)
Saturday, May 8th	Edgewood Winery, Spring Church	11 am (car & bike show)
Sunday, May 16th	Giant Eagle, Frankstown Rd, Penn Hills	3:00 pm (United Rays car show)
Friday, May 28th	Victory Car Cruise, Cranberry Twp.	5:00 pm

Check out the website carcruises.com for more car cruise information



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 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: _____ 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

Revised (9/25/17)

Something we might want to put on our calendars as a possible club event.

SAVE THE DATE
ELITE CORVETTES OF PITTSBURGH PRESENTS
CORVETTES
AGAINST THE WORLD
MEMORIAL WEEKEND-MAY 28-30
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT ELITECORVETTES@GMAIL.COM

PITTSBURGH
KEYSTONE RACEWAY PARK
SATURDAY: COOK OUT CAR SHOW
SUNDAY: DRAG RACING

DESIGN BY CHRIS HOYE 412.773.1202 WWW.CHRISHOYEGRAPHICS.COM @SCHIZOSAID50

Miscellaneous

Bloomington Gold has officially opened registration for the 2021 Bloomington Gold Corvette Show scheduled for June 18-19 at Lucas Oil Stadium in downtown Indianapolis. All the usual events including Certification, Survivor and Benchmark judging will take place indoors. Camaro's will also be invited again for 2021. For more information check out their website bloomingtongold.com.

The Gilmore Car Museum in Hickory Corners, Michigan is hosting a special exhibit called "The Greatest Generation-a dramatic presentation of Chevrolet Corvettes from each generation of GM's legendary American sports car." It was curated with help from Corvette expert Werner Meier, owner of Masterworks Automotive Services in Madison Heights, Michigan. He is highly regarded as one of the best restorers in the world and several of his own award winning Corvettes are on display in the exhibit, along with nearly two dozen of the rarest and most significant Corvettes in existence. This museum was started by Donald S. Gilmore and opened to the public in 1966. In addition to this special exhibit the museum has more than 400 cars on display. So if you're looking for a place to take a road trip you might want to add this to your list of possibilities.

For two months, January and February, the 2021 Stingray has been rolling out of showrooms faster than any other vehicle in America. In January the Stingray took an average of 10 days to sell once it arrived at the dealer. The number climbed to 13.1 days in February, but was still fast enough to hold onto first place.

Quaker Steak & Lube Car Show

On Sunday, April 25th, a few members took a short road trip to Sharon, PA for the Quaker Steak & Lube Car Show. We even had a member take home some prizes.



General Membership Meeting (Unapproved)

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

The April membership meeting was held on Tuesday, April 13. at The Boulevard in Delmont. The change in day was due to the fact that the restaurant is currently closed on Mondays. Vince Morich (acting President) called the meeting to order at 7:10 and started with the Pledge of Allegiance.

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

Current Membership numbers: 157 Members, 92 Families

Vice-President / Insurance— Vince Morich

Insurance is paid.

Social— Vacant

We are looking for someone to take over this position. No one ran for this position in the recent election.

Events— Pat Hillyard

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

Pat talked about a small group of people that are going out to Bud's in Ohio in early May for their annual show. If anyone was interested in joining them Pat asked that they let him know as soon as possible..

We also discussed the upcoming Corvette show at Quaker Steak & Lube in Sharon on Sunday, April 25th. There were some people interested in going so they got together after the meeting to make arrangements.

Pat also mentioned the Michelin Bash at the NCM for anyone that was interested.

The Irwin car show was also mentioned and the date was Saturday, April 24th. There were some members that had pre-registered and others that were thinking about attending.

John Walko talked about the Vintage Grand Prix that is currently scheduled for July. The Corvette is still the marque car and for anyone who wants to join club members for the weekend of the race in Schenley Park there is a registration fee. See their website for more information.

Watson Chevrolet was recently sold to the Shorkey Group and they are planning on having an All Chevy Show on Saturday, July 10th at the dealership in Murrysville. More information will follow.

Newsletter—Georgeann Young

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

New Business

The Vintage Grand Prix is now rescheduled for July of this year and the Corvette will still be the Marque car. John Walko and Chas Rottmund had been involved in some of the planning last year but have stepped back at this time. We discussed the possibility of having a fall car show but with the sale of Tom Henry Chevrolet to the Shorkey group we would have to look for another sponsor. Possible locations for a show were also discussed but no definite plans were made. We would have to decide soon if we plan on having a show so the arrangements could be made.

**Old Business**

There is still 60th Anniversary merchandise available.

SPECIAL REPORTS**Historical Committee — Frank Paolo**

No report.

Museum—Pat Hillyard

Raffle tickets can now be purchased using a mail order form that is available on the Museum website. The prices for the raffles has also changed.

Health and Welfare Committee- Connie Jelovich

No report.

Competition—Frank Paolo

No report.

WPCCC—Frank Paolo

No report

Website/Facebook

Regis is still doing the website and will help with the sponsors. We also have a PayPal account set up to make it easier to pay for some of these things.

Treasurer—Mike Diorio Absent

Mike Diorio gave the most recent Treasurer's report.

Treasurer's Report only available at General Membership Mtgs.

The Next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 11th, at The Boulevard in Delmont. The meeting will start at 7:00 pm but come early and enjoy dinner with friends and fellow members. .

Meeting adjourned around 7:40 pm.



"Bob, you should have never parked that close to Jim's Corvette. And Jim, judging by Bob's condition, you over reacted."