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“The general purpose of CSCC is to encourage planned trips, events and social activities for members of CSCC; to act as a source of technical information; to establish rules and regulations covering all activities of CSCC; to provide and regulate events and exhibitions of Corvettes; and to encourage careful and skillful driving on public highways; and to own personal property as needed for the foregoing purposes.”

Meeting Information

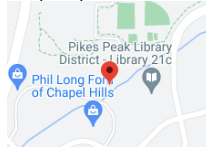
Monthly business meetings are scheduled the first Thursday of the month.

The next meeting:

7:00 P.M. Thursday, July 6, 2023

Meeting Location

Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
1570 Auto Mall Loop, Colorado Springs, CO 80920
(719) 377-3741



[click here for map](#)

Hello Corvette Enthusiast,

Board Meetings

Meetings are held the Tuesday prior to the business meeting.

The next board meeting:

Monday, July 3, 2023

E-mail meeting
Chris Capshaw

(The chairperson for each event should attend the board meeting prior to their event.)

63 Members Present at the June Meeting

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| Robert Balink | Lisa Driscoll | Philip Moore | Steve Smith |
| Lucia Bell | Patrick Driscoll | Alta Olejnik | Tom Taylor |
| Robert Bell | Brian Enger | Pete Olejnik | Wayne Timura |
| Juanita Bochnak | Peggy Ferron | Ralph Olson | Gerry Turner |
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| Tim Collins | Kristal Harrison | Roseann Riggi-Knudson | Tanya Whalen |
| Jim Covey | Richard Harrison | Timothy Searl | Debbie Yale |
| Stephanie Covey | Keith Knudson | Ted Severn | Gary Yale |
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| Diana Dittman | Rick McGuffin | Julia Smith | |
| Brian Dougherty | Joel Midkiff | Michael Smith | |

Guests At the June Meeting – Welcome!

Name	Corvette
Steve VanRuskirk	1969 project Corvette



June Meeting Minutes

The June meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Chris Capshaw.

Thank you goes to Maroone Chevrolet-North, and anonymous door prize donors. Six door prizes were enthusiastically selected by the meeting attendee winners! Also, thank you t Maroone Chevrolet-North for providing pre-meeting snacks.

Member of the Season: Sponsored by Maroone mangers Rich Frizzell: The "Member of the Season" winner was **Jack Lester**. Jack won a free oil change and a full auto detailing from Maroone.

Treasurer's Report – Anita Smith
Have spent about ½ of the yearly budget and the club is still very comfortable.

Secretary Report – Jodi DeSchepper
No corrections or updates to the May 2023 minutes. The May minutes were approved as posted.

Past Events
Wasson High School Car Show – David Ury. The car show was held on May 6th. There were about 120 cars of all types, even a Mad Max style wrecker. About 8 club members showed their Vettes. It was a very good show and for a good cause.

Fun in the Sun Corvette Show – Rick McGuffin. About 53 Vettes showed up to be judged. Thank you to all the volunteers and judges. The club made about \$1,000. There was positive feedback regarding the judging. There was a little mix up at awards but was corrected. **The Best of Show trophy was presented to Pete De Felice.**

New Business
Museum Update – Chris Capshaw
Chris reported that Barrett is recovering from surgery and that his new hip is doing well. There are still raffle tickets to purchase. Chris printed out raffle forms which include Barrett's name if anyone is interested.

New Cars – Upgrades – Special News:
Tim and Elaine Collins traded in the C5 for a beautiful Crystal Red C6. Robert Bell traded in their 2020 C8 for a 70th Anniversary Convertible C8. Tom Phillips recently picked up his new black 2023 C8.

Tom Phillips has Corvette signs available that sell for \$95 - \$120 and members receive a club price of \$70.00.

Governors Report – Chris Capshaw
Walt would like to see more attendance from our club members at other club events if possible.

Chris announced that he had many outdated autocross items available for the taking. See him after the meeting.

Upcoming Club Events & Activities:

June 17 – Club Picnic – Chris Capshaw
Picnic will be back at the Air Force Academy. Non-DOD affiliated participants need to enter through the North Gate. There will Bingo, egg toss, and a lot of fun! \$5.00 per person.

June 24 – NSRA Corvette Display – Chris Capshaw It is the last night to sign up if you want to exhibit your Corvette.

June 30 – Drive your Vette to Work Day – Chris Capshaw Bird Dog BBQ, 4153 Centennial Blvd, Colorado Springs, 80907. Show starts at 11:00AM and goes to whenever. You can purchase delicious barbeque at the restaurant next to the car show.

July 4 – Monument Independence Day Parade – Chris Capshaw The club is limited to 20 cars. Please sign up. Always a huge turnout at this parade.

August 12 – Maroone Charity Corvette Show – Rick McGuffin Please plan on attending this club charity show. Pre-register online. Volunteers are needed so please help. Remember that pre-registering is not a firm commitment, it just helps greatly with show organization. A vote was taken and CSCC will once again match the proceeds from entries. Mike Maroone Chevrolet will also match the entry fees so please sign up.

September 9th - Pete Olejnik - Cruise Above the Clouds car show, Woodland Park. Show returns after no show in 2022. All types of vehicles will be in the show at the beautiful park in Woodland Park.

New Members – Tom Phillips
One guest in attendance, Steve VanRuskirk. Thank you for visiting.

Good News/Bad News Suitcase auction. The winner was Elaine Collins for \$30. Another auction will be help in 2 months.

Please be sure to check out the events calendar on the CSCC website.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Minutes by Jodi DeSchepper



July/August 2023 Calendar

Fri	June 30	Drive your Vette to work day	Chris Capshaw
Mon	July 3	CSCC Board Meeting	Chris Capshaw – Email meeting
Tue	July 4	Monument 4 th of July Parade	Chris Capshaw
Thu	July 6	7 pm CSCC Club Meeting	Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
Wed	July 12-16	Black Hills Corvette Classic trip	Chris Capshaw
Sat	July 29	Highway Beautification	Gary Walters & Ted Severn
Tue	Aug 1	CSCC Board Meeting	Diana Dittman
Thu	Aug 3	7 pm CSCC Club Meeting	Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
Sat	Aug 12	Maroone Charity Corvette Show	Mike Burks & Rick McGuffin

Calendar dates as of June 15, 2023.

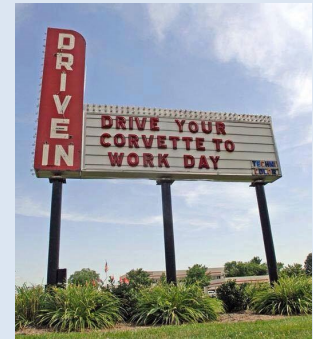
For the latest updates, flyers, and pictures, check out events on our webpage: www.coloradospringscorvetteclub.org

A June Corvette Wedding
Submitted by Chris Capshaw

A wedding day is a great day for everyone who has experienced it. Now how can that day be made more memorable? Why involving Corvettes of course. Justin Singleton and Krystle Pyles, decided to tie the knot on June 10th, at the Cheyenne Mountain Resort. Justin is a Corvette owner, and to surprise her future husband, Krystle arranged to have a mini-Corvette show featuring an example from each generation. Our club came to the rescue and provided six of the eight generations. Justin was brought out to the parking lot without knowing what was in store for him, but once he found out, he smiled so widely one would think his cheeks were going to split. Justin and his entourage spent time looking at every Corvette and asking questions. Only mother nature could put a damper on things by giving all the Corvettes a free car wash before they headed home. The club members who helped make the day special for Justin and Krystle were: Mike Burks, Chris Capshaw, Peggy Ferron, Kristal Harrison, Jeff Smith, Gary and Debbie Yale. Best of luck in the future to Justin and Krystle.



**Drive Your Corvette
To Work Day!**



Friday, June 30th, 2023

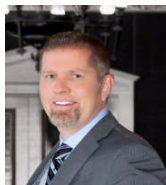
11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Bird Dog BBQ, 4153 Centennial Blvd Colorado Springs

Celebrate the Corvette's 70th birthday!



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Do You Want to Advertise?

Colorado Springs Corvette Club Members may place a **PERSONAL** "For Sale" ad in the "VETTE SET" at no charge. For Business Ads, Members receive a 20% discount (or two months free) when purchasing one full year.

Non-member Business Ads:

Business Card	\$10.00/month
1 / 4 page	\$15.00/ month
1 / 2 page	\$20.00/month

Non-member – Corvette For Sale Advertising \$100/month
For website & newsletter advertising (Deadline – 10th of the month)



Colorado Springs Corvette Club
and
Mike Maroone Chevrolet North



People's Choice Charity Corvette Show

Saturday, August 12, 2023

\$25.00 Per Car



On Site Registration opens at 8:00 am and closes at 10:00 am
Online Registration

<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/NCCCOOnlineRegistration/Programs/Registration.php?eventId=198>

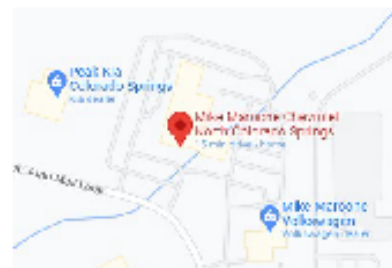
Online Registration Closes at Midnight Thursday, August 10th

Show Time 10:00 am to 2:00 pm - Judging ends at 1:00 pm

Proceeds Benefit The Foundation For School District 11 Auto Shop Programs

Corvette Classes C1 thru C8 & Custom Class
Three Trophies per Class plus Dealer's Choice
and People's Choice Trophies
Food Service Will Be Available

Chairperson: Mike Burks 719-651-9626
Chairperson: Rick McGuffin 719-210-8929
Governor: Walt Jenkins 719-597-2904
NCCC Sanction Number RM-183-006
Non-NCCC members are not covered by NCCC insurance



Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
1570 Auto Mall Loop, Colorado Springs, CO 80920

Corvettes on Colfax Car Show

Submitted by Rick McGuffin

The annual "Corvettes on Colfax" car show was hosted by the Denver Corvette Association (DCA) Saturday, May 27th, at Lynn Lyall Chevrolet in Aurora. Coffee and donuts were on site bright and early. Once again, there was good weather, and a good turnout of 63 Corvettes. All the entry fees were donations to the "Back the Blue K-9 Force" of Denver. Lynn Lyall Chevrolet not only provided the venue, but also provided lunch to all present. It was a fun day socializing not only with our own club members, but with the other club members and Corvette enthusiasts. Lots of Corvettes to show off and lots of Corvettes to check out. The Rocky Mountain Region (RMR) of the NCCC raffled off a set of Michelin tires worth up to \$2500!

CSCC supported the car show with 9 cars of which, 6 were winners: C1 & C2 - Gary and Debbie Yale, 3rd Place; C5 – Mike and Diana Dittman, 2nd Place; C6 – Rick McGuffin, 1st Place; C7 – Chris and Jonathon Capshaw, 1st Place; C7 – Lorren Loewen, 3rd Place; C8 – Steve Smith, 2nd Place.

Other members with cars in the show were; T. J. Larson, Brian Enger, and Walt Jenkins. Other members who dropped in to visit and in support of our club were: Jerry and Denise Phillips, Scott and Gail Applekamp, and Pete De Felice with Bailey. Really nice to see you guys there!



20th Annual Benefit Car Show
 August 27, 2023
 Historic Downtown Monument, Co.
 Proceeds Benefit "Tri-Lakes Cares"

Take I-25 to Exit 161, Follow the signs
 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM
 Move-in 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM

Web Site: <http://www.trilakescruisers.com/>, email: registration@trilakescruisers.com
 Door Prizes * DJ Music * Food Vendors * Goodie Bags * Dash Plaques * Police and Fire Displays
 Trophy Classes: To be announced
 OVER 50 TROPHIES AWARDED

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

Phone # _____ Email: _____

ADDRESS: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

CAR INFO: MAKE: _____ MODEL: _____ YEAR: _____

The Show is limited to 200 vehicles
 Non-Refundable Entry Fee \$25.00 pre-registration. Must be submitted by August 13, 2023
 Day of Show Entry Fee \$30.00 Make Check Payable to Tri-Lakes Cruisers
 Mail check to Tri-Lakes Cruisers, P.O. Box 2902, Monument Co. 80132

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Tri-Lakes Cruisers, Inc., its officers and members from any and all claims actions, causes of action loss, damage, injury, liability, cost or expense, resulting from or occasioned by participation in the 20th Annual Benefit Car Show.

In the interest of safety, once parked, no vehicle will be allowed to move or leave the show until the Show concludes, except in the case of an emergency. Vehicles that wish to park together must arrive together.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____ / _____ / _____



2023 Cruise Above the Clouds Car Show
 9 Sept 2023 in Woodland Park, CO
 Brought to you by "Cruise Above the Clouds", a 501(c)3 non-profit car club.

Participant Registration Form

Participant Info

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Car Info

Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

Color: _____ Body Style: _____ Engine (CID/CC): _____

Registration fee for this year's show is \$35. Merchandise will be sold at the show.

By attending this event you agree to hold harmless Cruise Above the Clouds Car Club, it's members, staff, event coordinators, volunteers, sponsors, and vendors as well as the property owner or anyone else associated with the event liable for any damage, loss, or injury. You further agree to allow us to utilize photos that are taken at the event as we see fit (i.e. promotion of future shows, website or social media posting, merchandise or promotional items for future shows, and/or future fundraising events.) NO ALCOHOL ALLOWED.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please mail completed form and payment to:

Cruise Above the Clouds
 P.O. Box 129
 Woodland Park, CO 80866

On Behalf of Teller County—Thank you!

Cruise Above the Clouds is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. All proceeds benefit Teller County charities. We suggest that you contact your accountant to determine what, if anything, you provide is tax deductible.

COLORADO SPRINGS CORVETTE CLUB

Gunnison Corvette Rallye and Car Show

Date: September 23, 2023

Poker Rallye - - - # RM-183-R08

Saturday, September 23rd – 2:00 PM (MDT)

\$25 per Car

People's Choice Car Show - - -# RM-183-R07

Saturday, September 23rd – 10:00 AM (MDT)

\$25 per Car

Both Events - - - \$45.00



REGISTRATION OPENS: June 15th, 2023 - [Link to Register](#)

ON-LINE REGISTRATION CLOSES: Midnight - - - September 21, 2023

Registration will also available at the event.

Information (as follows) for Rallye – Start will be conducted at the host hotel: Tech Inspection 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM on September 22, 2023, or at the Car Show

Driver's Meeting at 1:45 PM - - - on September 23, 2023

First Car Out at/before 2:00 PM - - - on September 23, 2023

HOST HOTEL

Comfort Inn & Suites Gunnison-Crested Butte (970) 642-1000

911 N. Main St., Gunnison, CO, 81230

(Ask for Corvette Club Rate)

Std Room Rate: \$149 + Tax (Do NOT book on line!) Limited Rooms – Reserve ASAP

Please pre-register on line, and send pre-payment for BOTH events to Todd DeSchepper.

NCCC RULES WILL BE USED FOR THE EVENT

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Monument, CO 80132
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WaltJenkins@comcast.net

Chairperson for Poker Rallye
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j-deschepper@hotmail.com

Chairperson for Car Show
Jodi DeSchepper
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Peyton, CO 80831
719-495-2731

j-deschepper@hotmail.com

Additional registration will be conducted (for either/both events) at the host hotel from 3:30 – 5 PM on Sept 22, 2023 and from 9:00 – 10:00 AM on Sept 23, 2023.

Last minute entries will be taken at the car show, but all cars in the show must pay registration fee.

Last minute entries for the Rallye will be taken during the Car Show.

Non-NCCC members are not covered by NCCC insurance

Show Us Your Chevy Car Show

Submitted by Rick McGuffin

The Top of the Rockies Corvette Association (TORCA) hosted their annual "Show Us Your Chevy" car show on Sunday, May 20th, at the Boulder County Fairgrounds in Longmont, Colorado. A beautiful venue with grass, and lots of shade trees. There were a lot of raffles and door prizes. Best of all, was a 50/50 raffle that produced \$400 to the winner! The vendors grilled up hamburgers, hot dogs, and brats, along with cold drinks and chips. The DJ played oldies all day.

There was a record 212 Chevy cars, of which 133 were Corvettes. There were early Camaros (1967-2002), late model Camaros (2010-2023), Impalas and Chevelles. Other entries included early model custom trucks, Chevys dating back to 1934, and even a 1966 Corvair.

There were nine CSCC members entered in the show. Brian Enger, in addition to his C4 (driven by his daughter Indigo), brought a 2017 SS Camaro to the show. Pete Olejnik brought his custom 1955 Chevy 3100 truck.

Then came the presentation of awards, with as many as 5 places in some classes. CSCC winners were: Brian Enger, 1st Place in the late model Camaro class; Rick McGuffin, 2nd Place in the C6 class; Chris and Jonathan Capshaw, 4th Place in the C7 Stingray & Grand Sport class; and Brent Renholm, 2nd Place in the C7 Z06 & ZR1 class. Other CSCC members entered in the show were: Pete DeFelice, Joe Zaccagnino, Roger Miller, and Lorren Loewen. A good day with good weather, good friends, and cool cars! Looking forward to the next one!



**The NCCC Rocky Mountain Region Presents
Five Autocrosses at PPIR Inside Track**



September 3rd, 2023

***7:00 am to 4:30 pm**

Pikes Peak International Raceway

16650 Midway Ranch Road, Fountain, CO 80817

[Register Here](#)

Online Registration closes at midnight on Friday, September 1st, 2023

All Autocrosses	NCCC Sanction # RM-183 All-Day	\$115.00
Low Speed Autocross 1	NCCC Sanction # RM-183-R02	\$25.00
Low Speed Autocross 2	NCCC Sanction # RM-183-R03	\$25.00
Low Speed Autocross 3	NCCC Sanction # RM-183-R04	\$25.00
Low Speed Autocross 4	NCCC Sanction # RM-183-R05	\$25.00
Low Speed Autocross 5	NCCC Sanction # RM-183-R06	\$25.00

Exhaust: **OPEN**

Car numbers need to be at least 6 inches tall, applied to both sides of the car, and of contrasting color from the car.

Snell Approved helmets not more than 10 years from date of manufacture are required for all events.

Fire Extinguisher required for Group 3 cars, suggested for Group 2.

Chairperson	Lorren Loewen	719-749-2898	Lorren.loewen@gmail.com
Governor	Walt Jenkins	719-337-1143	waltjenkins@comcast.net

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*All Times are Mountain Daylight	Time Trophies for Autocross	\$17.00 each
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[Map to PPIR](#)

Colorado Springs Corvette Club



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All new members are added to the list using their email address from the Club roster. For questions about the distribution list, contact:

treasurer@coloradospringscorvetteclub.org

Email Etiquette

Please limit use to Club and Corvette related subjects, or items which may be of interest to the membership. It is not intended for personal use, commentary, or to air grievances. If a member has a question about the appropriateness of a prospective email, the member needs to contact the Club President for guidance and/or approval.

In order to limit the number of unsolicited emails, when at all possible, please refrain from using the "Reply All" function, and only reply to the original sender.

NCCC Rocky Mountain Region Website

[NCCC Rocky Mt Region Website](#)

For a list of Regional Officers, Regional Clubs, expanded list of the regional Calendar of Events, Event Results, Race Number registration form, Rules and Forms, NCCC news, and more, visit and stay informed.

This link is also available on the CSCC web site.



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