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Deadline to submit newsletter articles and information is the 15th of the month in which it is to be published.

Send or e-mail to: Rob Miskowitch, 5140 Saddle Dr. Colorado Springs, CO. 80918-3630

CSCC's WEBSITE is <http://www.coloradospringscorvetteclub.org>

Meeting Information

This month's Board Meeting will be on
Tuesday, December 4th, 7:00PM At
4412 Valli
Vista Road, Colo. Springs, 80915.

This month's **board meeting** is open to any member wishing to attend. An event chairperson should plan to attend the board meeting prior to his or her scheduled event.

The CSCC **general meeting** this month will be held at the Inn at Garden Plaza located at 2520 International Circle on **Thursday, December 6th** at 7:00 p.m. Off of Pikes Peak go south on Parkside (by Colorado Music Hall) then go east onto International Circle. Park on the south side in unmarked spaces or on the street. Come through the main entrance and take the elevator down to 1 and go to the Recreation room just outside of the elevators. Immediately following the meeting, we will enjoy dinner and refreshments at Red Hot and Blue Restaurant 4290 N. Academy in the Mall of the Bluffs 592-0300. All guests are welcome.

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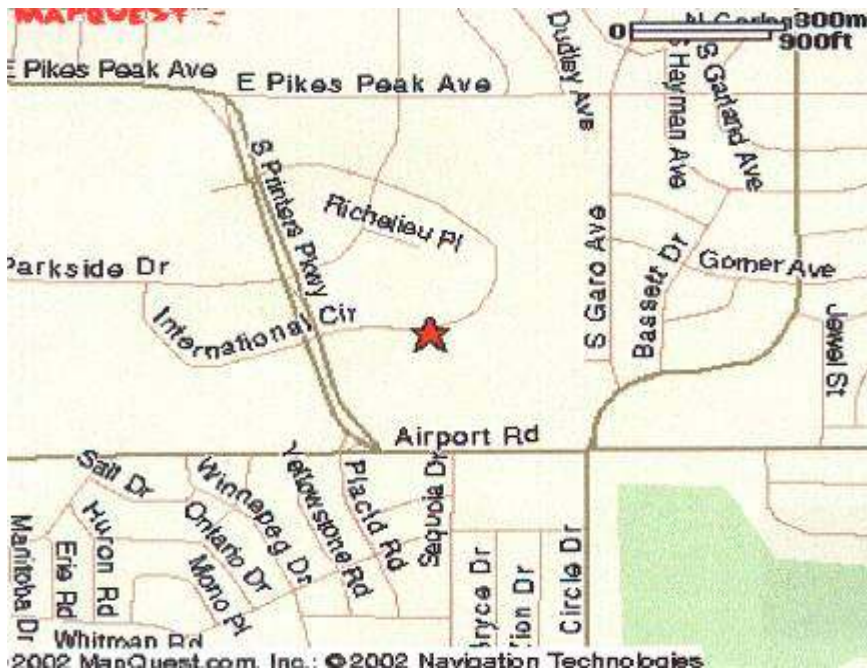


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Rocky Mountain Region Events 2007

- 11-9&10 National Governors Meeting St. Louis, MO.
11-17 Sno Big Deal Shows (Down the Road Corvettes) 5
chance car shows. Region-sanctioned (NCCC non-
sanctioned) 303-465-4664
11-18 Fun Rallys (Denver Corvette Assn.) Region Sanc-
tioned (NCCC non-sanctioned) 303-781-4896
12-2 Regional Governors Meeting (Denver) 303-709-
9388

**Telephone numbers are the contact numbers that can be used to get more
information about that event.

Minutes General Meeting

November 1st

Members Present



Pete Olejnik	Cindy Powers
Karen Jenkins	Rusty Welch
Walt Jenkins	Joe Horvath
Alta Olejnik	Gary Yale
Hal Tumbleson	Debbie Yale
Cindy Tumbleson	John LaSale
Tom Ury	Ron Garcia
Bill Ryan	Ed Redlin
Don Adametz	Gitta Redlin
Denise Phillips	Patty Strauch
Jerry Phillips	Joy Boland
Larry Lukenbill	Charlie Boand
Michael Bochnak	Larry Valentine
Winnie Bochnak	Gwenda Valentine
Larry Schubert	Diane VanHorn
Sheryl Schubert	Gary Crumb
Cliff Wright	Diana Dittman
Dennis VanHorn	Mike Dittman
Anne Silvers	John Martin
Judy Gue	Debbie Martin
John Gue	Vance Davis
Scott Paine	Steve Rummel
Rob Miskowitch	Erica Rummel
Ric Noring Jr.	Jane Creighbaun
Shawn Mess	Gail Creighbaum
Vicki Fockler	Tom Burk
Jim Fockler	Nick Renfro
John Ames	Craig Wisniewski
Melvin Swindale	
Kelly Zajicek	
Jerry Stermer	
Diane Stermer	
Jim Powers	

Guests Present

First Meeting

Corvette

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Second Meeting

Third Meeting

Carl Mulkin (Voted In)	1978 Pace Car	Cliff Wright
Chris & Chris Fischer (Voted In)	1989 Blue Coupe	Jerry Phillips
Eric & Dawn Bentley (Voted In)	1989 Red Coupe	Hal Tumbleson

We would like to congratulate **Carl Mulkin, Chris and Chris Fisher, and Eric and Dawn Bentley** as our newest members of the CSCC. Welcome and we hope to see you at many more of the events in the future!



Lynn Wittrock's New Corvette

This year, Nov 14, 2007, will be the 40th Anniversary of this one-owner Corvette. November 14, 1967 was the day Lynn Wittrock bought the new 1968 Corvette. No one else in the club has kept their "NEW" Corvette for 40 years.

Happy Birthday



The November meeting of the CSCC was called to order at approximately 7:00 p.m. by President **Larry Lukenbill**.

Amendments to the November minutes: There were no amendments to the minutes.

Motion to approve the November minutes: Motion approved.

November Birthdays: The following people celebrated birthdays in the month of November: **Karl Pierce, Judy Gue, Diane Wisniewski, Ann Ericson, Gary Crumb, Char Nordby, Mike Cochnak, Sean Pazdzior, Jimmy Zajicek, Debbie Yale, Scott Paine, Charlie Boland, Dennis Van Horn, Denise, Phillips, Ken Fender, and Sandy Noring.** We hope that you all had a very wonderful and happy birthday! Please let me know if I have left your birthday out or if you are having a special anniversary or event coming up.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer, **Hal Tumbleson**, announced that the treasury was in good shape. Hal reminded everyone that we still have money for the trailer coming out of the treasury. Treasurer's reports on the back table at every meeting.

Greetings: 2nd Vice President, **Alta Olejnik**, introduced and welcomed all of the guests this month. We had 5 returning visitors, all of which were eligible to join the club. We would like to congratulate and welcome our three newest members **Carl, Mulkin, Chris and Chris Fisher, and Eric and Dawn Bently.**

Old Business

Homecoming Parades: **Tom Ury** - Thanks for all the volunteers that drove and helped out at the four homecoming parades. We received a total of \$440. Thanks to the following for driving and support: Dick Ary, Pete Olejnik, Patty Strauch, Scott Paine, Kelly Zajick, Chris Norby, Bobbie Mesite, Melvin Swindale, Rik Noring Jr., Hal Tumbleson, Kathy Morey, Gail Creighbaum, Glen Maurer, Diana Dittman, Mike Dittman, John Gue, Terri Wheeler, Tom Ury, Ann Silver for being on Standby!

Merchandise: If anyone ordered anything and it arrives Ashley Mess will contact you.

Halloween Party: Bill Ryan - 25 people, all in costume attended the part. The party raised \$220 for the club charity. Thanks to Ashley Mess and Jim and Bobbie Mesite for decoration help. Karen Jenkins answered the most trivia questions and Mike Bochnak won the costume contest.

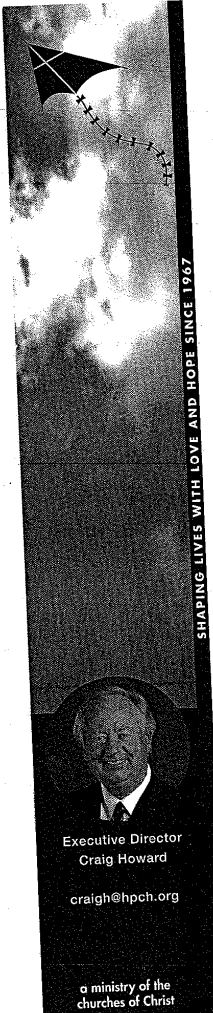
Trash Pickup: Mike Dittman - Thanks to the 22 people that helped with our very windy trash pickup day on October 6th. Pete will take over organizing the trash pickup going forward.

Manitou Springs Christmas Parade: Patty Strauch - The parade will be on December 8th. Lineup will begin around 11:00. No details yet, Patty will send an email when details are available. Dining will follow. Car decorations are optional, but the theme is "Snow Flakes and Smiles".

Snow Flakes Rally: Jim and Vicki Fockler - Sunday November 4th. You may order shirts for \$15, either long or short sleeve. The Antler's hotel is the starting point.

Christmas Party: Diane Dittman and Karen Jenkins - The party will be at the Flying W on December 1st. Reservations and payment are due by November 19th to Karen Jenkins. Cost is \$15 per person. A \$15 gift exchange is optional. A motion to get \$600 from the club to cover expenses was proposed and the motion passed. Left-over money will be returned to club.

Christmas Baskets: Judy Gue - We plan to deliver and fill 100 baskets. 90 baskets will be delivered around D11 and the remaining 10 to Sproul Junior High School. You may donate money or purchase groceries. List and instructions are in newsletter. The total cost is about \$30 per basket. Club will purchase baskets. Please contact Judy if you cannot store donated Turkey.



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Your gift will also touch the lives of neglected and dependent children living at High Plains Children's Home. It will make an eternal difference in their lives.

A letter of notification has been sent to the family.


May God continue to bless you.

For the children,



Craig Howard
Executive Director
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From
Student Cabinet

Dear Corvette Club,

We would like to thank you for participating in the half time Home Coming Queen Nominee Ceremony at last Friday's game. The cars looked great and you guys did an awesome job. We look forward to doing it again in the future.

Sincerely,
Widefield Student Cabinet

New Business

NCCC Updates: Walt Jenkins - Walt will attend NCCC meeting on November 9th. The Convention location will be announced at that meeting. Watch the website for updates.

2008 Calendar: Walt Jenkins - A committee was selected to put together a tentative calendar for next year. Walt will arrange the meeting time with the committee.

Timing Equipment: Walt Jenkins - Looking Glass Corvette Club requested use of our timing equipment and 3 or 4 people to run the equipment at the 2008 VOTR. Walt will deliver the equipment to VOTR. Price/favor for rental will be negotiated by Walt. We may ask for their help by drawing on their experience running VOTR. This was brought to vote and the motion carried.

Trailer Inventory: Tom & Vicky Ury - The trailer inventory will take place on Sunday November 18th at 1:00PM. Solicitations are being accepted for shelving design for the new trailer.

Standing Rule & General Policy - We discussed and voted on an amendment to the Standing Rules & General Policy, 5.0 Publications Policy D Advertising. It was voted upon and accepted. These may be voted on at a general meeting. Actual text of change is included in this newsletter. The Corvette Center is an approved advertiser by Daniels.

Proposed BY-LAW Amendment - A proposed by-law change was submitted. This by-law change is contained in this newsletter. It must appear in two newsletters and will be voted upon in the February meeting.

Emails to CSCC: Larry Lukenbill - The president and board receive quite a few emails. Car related and Corvette related emails will be passed on to club email list via the 2nd Vice President.

Proposed Advertising Policy

Standing Rules & General Policy, 5.0 Publications Policy

D. Advertising:

- (1) No commercial new and/or used car dealerships can advertise in our newsletter, or on our website, other than our sponsor Daniels Chevyland. Daniels Chevyland can approve/disapprove any commercial dealership that wants to advertise in the newsletter/website as Daniels pays for the newsletter.
- (2) Any questionable advertisements will be brought up at a board meeting to be approved/disapproved before it can be published.

(1st publication of change) Proposed BY-LAW Amendment

Article 2, Section 5 Code of Conduct

5.4 Club Rosters will be given to members and Daniels Chevyland only and that information is not to be distributed outside of our membership. Club members may use the Club Roster for their personal and personal business use.

Corvette Upgrades:

- Rusty Welch purchased a new Z06
- Melvin changed the jet.
- Jim Fockler has a dead mouse in the heating vents. *Not such a good upgrade. (editor's opinion)*

January 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 <i>Gail Creighbaum BD</i>	2 Board Meeting	3 General Meeting <i>Ron Ahner BD</i>	4	5
6 <i>Melvin Swindale BD</i>	7	8 <i>Cindy Powers BD</i>	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 <i>Joe Ewing BD</i>
20 <i>Karen Jenkins, Diane Van Horn BD</i>	21 <i>Joan Joseph BD</i>	22	23 <i>Larry Smith BD</i>	24	25	26 Dub Bridge (proposed)
27 <i>Sheryl Schubert BD</i>	28	29	30	31		

December 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Holiday Party
2 <i>John La Sage, Bud Silvers BD</i>	3 <i>Jerry Phillips BD</i>	4 Board Meeting <i>Nick Renfro BD</i>	5	6 General Meeting	7 <i>Guy Bentley BD</i>	8 Manitou Christmas Parade <i>Chris Nordby, Vance Davis BD</i>
9	10 <i>Gary Klein, Dale Taylor BD</i>	11	12 <i>Sheryl Schubert BD</i>	13	14	15 <i>Cliff Wright BD</i>
16 <i>JoAnne La Sage BD</i>	17	18	19	20 Christmas Basket Assembly	21	22 Christmas Basket Delivery
23	24 <i>Tom Morse BD</i>	25	26	27 <i>Bruce MacGregor, Richard Bergman, Vicki Ury BD</i>	28 <i>Ric Noring Sr BD</i>	29
30 <i>Paul Rising BD</i>	31					

December 1st Birthdays: Herb Thompson, Claudia Rogers, Rick Hudnal

Pagosa Springs: Walt Jenkins - If you went to the Pagosa Springs car show please contact Walt and sign the waiver. Without your signature you will not receive your points.

Dove Bridge Party: Winnie Bochnak - Sunday January 26th Winnie will sponsor a Dove Bridge Party. More details to follow.

Door Prizes - No door prizes were given away, they will be given away at the Christmas Party.

Good News Bad News Suitcase

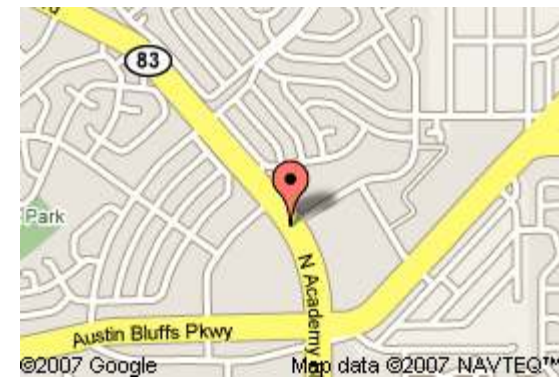
The good news/bad news suitcase will be auctioned at the December club meeting. **Adam Self** currently has the suitcase.

After the Meeting

Please join us for dinner and drinks after this months meeting at Red Hot and Blue Restaurant

4290 N. Academy in the Mall of the Bluffs 592-0300.

All guests are welcome.





Fellow Members:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for having enough confidence in me to elect me to this position. I only hope that I shall meet your expectations and provide you with an interesting year of leadership. We have a great club with great people who never cease to amaze me with their willingness to volunteer and help to accomplish any feat presented. This past year saw at least five members step forward and chair events that had not done so in the past. Dick and Jerrie Ary, Jim and Vickie Fockler and myself, and the number of you that were there to lend a hand with these events amazed me. I recall the morning of the Daniels Car Show when one of the members showed up to help park cars, previously unannounced, and this person did not even have a car entered in the show. He was just there to help and lend his experience to someone who truly needed it.

One can only hope that this tradition will continue into this coming year. It is so refreshing to see different people come forward and inject new ideas and thinking into any organization as that is what keeps the organization dynamic. I think all of us would grow very tired of a stagnant club, and you can readily see from all of the new faces on the board, that we are certainly not going to be that. I certainly encourage all of you to not be afraid to participate at any level, and welcome your thoughts as to how we can make the club a meaningful experience for us all.

Thank you again and I look forward to a great year of serving.....

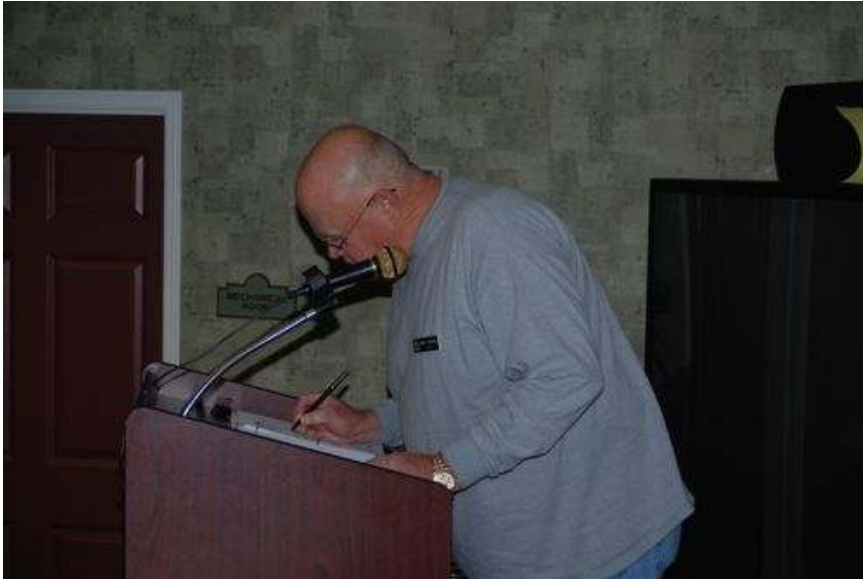
Larry



The year's S*No Flakes Rally shirt.



Rob's filler picture. Waterfall near Green Mountain Falls. F32, 10sec, 34mm focal length, ISO 100, red filter.



Last minute notes before the November meeting is lead by our new president Larry Lukenbill.



A view from the front.

Board Meeting

Members present: Sean Pazdzior, Mike Dittman, Diana Dittman, Walt Jenkins, Bob Capraro, Larry Lukenbill, Hal Tumbleson, Denise Phillips, Dick Strauch, Karen Jenkins, Don Adametz, Vickie Ury, Alta Olejnik, Rob Miskowitch, Jerry Phillis, Jim Fockler

- 1) Amendments to the October minutes
- 2) November Birthdays
- 3) Treasurers Report
- 4) Greetings
- 5) Merchandise
- 6) Amendments to bylaws
- 7) Old Business
- 8) New Business

All members are always welcome to attend the Board meetings.

TRIVIA CONTEST

I am introducing a new section to our newsletter. Please feel free to submit your own CSCC interesting trivia questions and I'll try to add them. You will find the answers in the next newsletter and club meeting.

Item 1: _____



Item 2: _____



Hint: All these objects are Corvette related. You have all seen them, but may not have noticed them in quite so much detail.

Item 3: _____



CSCC Christmas Baskets Information

The following items are needed to fill the Christmas baskets. If you would like to purchase all or any of the items, please bring them to the December 6th meeting or drop them off anytime before Dec. 7th at Gue's (80 Rangely Dr.), Strauch's (1416 W. Pikes Peak Ave.), or Tumbleson's (3430 Briarpatch Pl.). If you're not a shopper, \$\$ donations are gladly accepted! Cost of items listed below is approximately \$30 (if you buy the turkey on sale)! Basket assembly will be on Dec. 20th at Gue's at 6:30 p.m. followed by dessert treats. Basket deliveries will be on Saturday, Dec. 22nd. We will meet at The Springs Funeral Services parking lot (3115 E. Platte Ave., just west of Chelton) at 11 a.m. to pick up baskets and addresses for delivery. Remember to buy turkeys when they go on sale at Thanksgiving time! If possible, store them in your freezer and bring them to the delivery point on the 22nd, or if not, we'll see if anyone has freezer space available to store them for you. If you'd like to volunteer for any of the activities...donating turkeys, basket assembly or delivery (and haven't already done so at the Nov. meeting), please e-mail me and I'll add you to the list. Judith Gue (jjgue01@yahoo.com)

Items needed to fill the Christmas baskets:

- Large can Ravioli
- Large can fruit
- Jar spaghetti sauce
- Large can yams
- Can chunky soup
- Can cranberry sauce
- Can vegetables
- Can gravy
- Bottle juice
- Box oatmeal
- Jar peanut butter
- Can miscellaneous meat
- Box macaroni and cheese
- Large package spaghetti noodles
- Box Jell-O
- Package stuffing
- Package Ramen noodles
- Box mashed potatoes
- Miscellaneous dessert
- Foil baking pan for turkey
- Rolls




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CSCC Holiday Party Information

Saturday December 1st
Flying W Ranch,
3330 Chuckwagon Rd
Phone 598-4000

Schedule

- 6:00PM Cocktails (Cash bar) & Appetizers
- 6:30PM Gift Exchange (\$15.00 limit)
- 8:00PM Dinner
- 9:00PM Show




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FYI SECTION

The paper Sean presented at the end of the October meeting for the homecoming parade was erroneously referred to as "Frontier", it should have been the "Westside Frontier". Apologies about the transcription error.

As your brand new newsletter editor and secretary I'd like to thank Karen and Walt for their help getting me started. Thanks for your patience while I find out what is important and where it should be posted. If I've missed anything please let me know (miskowitch@yahoo.com). If you would like anything posted in the newsletter email works great. I'll include it in a folder for the next newsletter and I won't forget it. Thanks. Rob Miskowitch



Diana Dittman & Karen Jenkins need your R.S.V.P. for the Christmas party BEFORE November 19th.

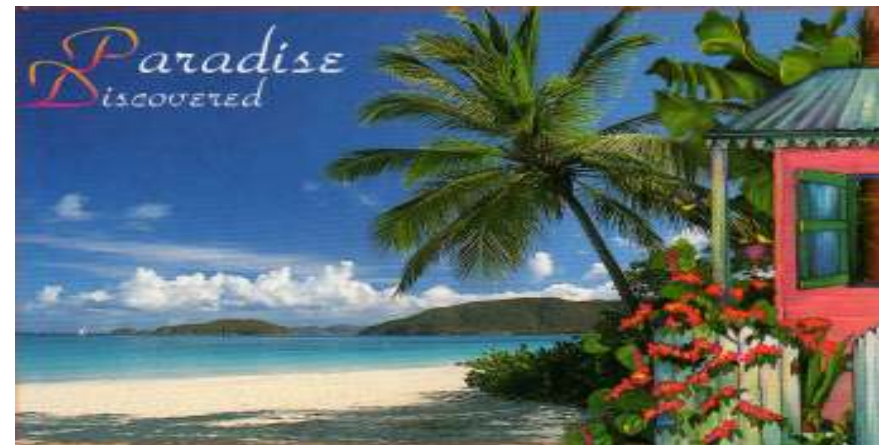
Bylaws:

Your copy of the bylaws should arrive shortly. We are struggling with table of contents and formatting challenges.

Trailer Inventory Update:

For those planning on helping with the inventory of the trailer this month, we had to change the date from the 18th to the 17th of November (Saturday) due to the DCA rally some are attending on Sunday. Time is still at 1:00pm, at Tom & Vicki's, 4412 Valli Vista Road. For questions please contact Tom Ury.

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