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Club And Meeting Information

Board Meeting Information

Monthly board meetings are usually held on the Tuesday prior to the monthly club business meeting.

The next board meeting:
6:00 P.M. Tuesday, June 2, 2026
Hosted by Walt Jenkins
Location: Jenkins Residence.
230 E. Stirrup Trail, Monument CO

Club Meeting Information

Monthly club meetings are held on the first Thursday of the month.

The next club meeting:
6:30 P.M. Thursday, June 4, 2026
Location:
Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
1570 Auto Mall Loop, Colo Springs

82 out of 328 Members attended the May Meeting

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| 21. Nani De Felice | 42. Nancy Jenkins | | 82. Gary Yale |

* New Members

No guests visited us this month:

Special thanks to this month's newsletter contributors:
Scott Applekamp, Luther Benson, Nathan Black, Nani DeFelice, Diana Dittman, Paul Rahne

MAY MEETING MINUTES

-President Todd DeSchepper called the May 7th, 2026, meeting to order at exactly 6:30 pm.

-Todd thanked the Maroone Chevrolet North Team, and others for providing support and door prizes for our monthly meetings.

-CSCC now has **328** members. We still remain the 3rd largest Corvette club between Mercury and Pluto.

-Once again, Todd next pressed the membership to volunteer to assist in all the numerous upcoming events.

-He reviewed how the club is more engaged with NCCC & Blue Bars. We'll have two more articles and photos in upcoming editions.

-Todd reminded everyone about the NCCC Web Page, and the CSCC videos posted there on the Governor's Garage page.

-The CSCC Corvette of the Month photo on the CSCC Website for May is Steve Kennedy's 1964 Riverside Red Coupe. Each month will feature a picture of a different club members Corvette. Send a photo of your Corvette if you'd like it to be selected for this new initiative.

-The official CSCC Facebook Page is alive and well. It's for sharing club and Corvette-related topics, with the usual rules to keep it courteous. Moderators are Katee Driscoll and Scott Cronk.

-Joel Olson, the new Corvette Delivery Specialist at Maroone was introduced to the club. He seems engaged and wants to support CSCC as best he can. See page 8

-Kristin Carton, one of Maroone's Corvette-centric Service Writers, briefed the membership on GM's latest policy for C8 Transmission Service intervals. Contact her for more info at: 719-867-2902.

-Pete DeFelice unveiled the CSCC's new 3x5 Event Postcards to spread the word faster and easier about CSCC Events to car show and Cars & Coffee participants.

-Ryan from Pro Auto Spa announced their May monthly special as well as their paintless dent repair services. Call 719-259-2566 for details.

Coming Events:

-Walt Jenkins is running the next big CSCC event ... Cone Zone Autocross at EVOC on May 31st. We NEED drivers and volunteers. See pages 19-20 for info. Come try your hand at Autocross as well as lend a hand of some sort. It's a fun way to spend a Sunday. Learn how your Corvette handles, in a safe, controlled environment. He has spare helmets for those who want to try it. Register now!

-Katee Driscoll & Rick McGuffin requested volunteers and helpers for the June 13th Maroone Charity Corvette Show that they will lead. Register now!! See pages 21-22.

-Drive-Your-Corvette-to-Work Day is June 26. We are doing our Annual Bird Dog BBQ cars & lunch shindig. Diana Dittman is putting this together this year. See page 24.

-Diana is also organizing a Wine Cruise on June 28 in the Canon City area ending in tasting, tour and picnic at Holy Cross Abbey Winery. Details on page 24.

-This year's 4th of July Parade in Monument is being set up by Rick McGuffin. Contact Rick if you're interested.

2nd VP - Membership: Rick McGuffin

-Rick introduced two new club members who joined this month.

- Nathan Black, owner of a 1989 Bright Red Coupe
- John Wendt, owner of a 2015 Laguna Blue Z06 Convertible

Secretary Report: Pete DeFelice

-Send photos and For Sale ads to Pete DeFelice for posting on the club website and the newsletter.

-No corrections to the April 2026 minutes were noted. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Katee Driscoll

-Nothing significant to report.

Governors Report: Walt Jenkins

-Walt said 4 folks were slated to learn the Ax Aware autocross timing system. The classes are spread over two 2-hour periods. This will get more folks involved in Autocross.

-He passed the results of the recent NCCC Governors meeting in St Louis sayin numerous rules and procedures have been refined. See the results on the NCCC webpage.

Past Events

-Rick McGuffin & Pete DeFelice hosted 32 folks at the April 29 Garage Night to prep entrants and judges for the annual Concours Show.

-The Dittman's organized a successful Tom Hanon Memorial Concours Car Show. Maite Hanon was in attendance too. It was held on May 9th with 50 cars in the show. Steve Kennedy snagged the Best of Show Trophy. See page 9 for info & pix.

New Cars - Upgrades - Special News:

-Scott and Gail Applekamp's added a sweet 2010 ZR1 Coupe to their collection.



-Jay and Tanya Whalen's added a cool Black 2016 Z06 Convertible to their stable.



-Meeting adjourned at 1930 local, 0130 Zulu

-Minutes recorded by Pete DeFelice



Upcoming Colorado Springs Corvette Club 2026 Calendar of Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Point of Contact</u>
May 17	Auto Film Solutions Cars & Coffee	At Their Facility	Pete DeFelice
May 17	Show Us Your Chew Show	Longmont CO	Kevin Duncan
May 17	Florence Car Show	Florence CO	Gerry Turner
May 24-26	Memorial Day Autocross Weekend	La Junta CO	DCA & CAR
May 31	Cone Zone Autocross	Douglas County EVOG	Jenkins & Adametz
Jun 06	Bowties on Broadway	Ewing Chevy Denver	Denver Corvette Assn
Jun 6-7	Cone-Undrum Autocross Weekend	Colo Air-Space Park	Ron Bauer CAR
Jun 13	Maroone Charity Corvette Show	Maroone Chevrolet North	McGuffin & K. Driscoll
Jun 26	Drive-Your-Corvette-To-Work-Day	Bird Dog BBQ, Centennial Blvd	Diana Dittman
Jun 28	Wine Cruise to the Abbey	Canon City CO	Diana Dittman
Jul 04	4 th of July Parade	Monument CO	Rick McGuffin
Aug 08	CSCC Corvette Show	Metcalfe Park, Fountain	Bertino & Tamburelli
Aug 15	Annual Club Summer Picnic	DeSchepper's Home	The DeSchepper's
Aug 22	Inn at the Garden Plaza Show	2520 International Circle	Scott Applekamp
Aug 28-30	Silverthorne Cruise & Show	Silverthorne Area	The Gonzalez's
Oct 18	CSCC Fall Autocross	Douglas County EVOG	Don Adametz
Nov 08	S'No Flakes Rally	Who Knows?	Brian Enger
Dec 19	CSCC Annual Club Christmas Party	Phantom Canyon Brewery	Katee Driscoll



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My First Car

Want to tell the club about your first ride? Send me a short write-up and maybe a pic or two to be featured in upcoming newsletters

DRIVING MY CHEVYS

After working on weekends for my 10 hour shifts of pumping gas, alone, at age 15, I decided that I needed a car instead of riding the bus up and down Colfax Avenue in Aurora, CO. My Junior year on high school, 1960, I purchased a '49 CHEVY, 4 door Fleetwood, fastback with 90 horses, 6 cylinder/216 cubic, 3 on the tree for \$100. (New they cost \$1,300-2,300.) Mine was painted a Grecian gray and I thought that I needed a better color. I removed several items and changed the small tail lights that I hated. I had a friend whose father painted cars, he painted mine Candy Apple red and only charged me for the paint. What a break!

I had several problems with this car. Winter I could not get it started in the cold because someone changed the wiring from the choke to the throttle. I solved that problem after a few days of not driving it. One morning while driving to school, I got pulled over for loud mufflers and received a ticket for \$25 which was a lot of money when I was making \$1.25 a hour. One evening I decided to drive to Ft. Morgan for a basketball playoff game. On the way home my tranny decided to jump out of 3rd gear into 2nd at 60 MPH. Since it was locked in second, I could not drive it home to Aurora without it overheating. Luckily, when I stopped at a "filling station" another high school student had pulled over because of a flat tire. He had no spare and you guessed



it, my spare fit his car. He pulled me home with a rope. My buddy and I found a used tranny and changed it out but it never ran exactly right after that.

After driving this car for 2 years, I thought that I needed a more dependable car to drive to Alamosa to attend Adams State Teachers College. I traded the '49 in for a 2 door '53 CHEVY which I also had for 2 years. I traded that in for a cool '57 2 door hard top CHEVY. I also had that car for 2 years before a train decided to hit me. That my friends is another story! I then proceeded to buy my first new car, a '68 Firebird. The speedometer went to 160 MH. Coming home from Denver one night, I thought that I would test that out. When it hit 145 MPH, it started to float and I eased off. Sure glad that there was no alcohol that influenced me in that ordeal. Anyway, I lived to tell you this story.



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The Tom Hanon Memorial Concours D'Elegance Corvette Show May 9, 2026



Maite Hanon, with Tom's Show Winning Corvette

*Story by Mike & Diana Dittman
Pix by many members*

May 9, 2026, was a perfect day for a car show. The Colorado Springs Corvette Club honored the late Tom Hanon, known as "The Car Show King," by naming this year's judged Corvette show the Tom Hanon Memorial Concours D'Elegance Corvette Show. Maite Hanon greatly appreciated this tribute. Among the seven clubs in the Rocky Mountain Corvette Region, ours is the only one to host a Concours show.

Most Corvette classes were judged on exterior, interior, and engine, and all vehicles completed an Operations Check inspection. The Wash and Show Class and C8 Corvettes were exempt from engine judging.

We thank everyone who participated in the show, including our out-of-town participants.

As always, a successful show depends on many volunteers, and we sincerely thank each of them. Special thanks to the six Tri Lakes Cruisers for assisting with judging, which added impartiality to the process and helped us complete the judging process earlier than expected. They also helped capture photos and videos that will be posted on their website and linked to the CSCC website.

Mike and I are especially grateful for the knowledgeable support of Rick McGuffin and Pete DeFelice. Their guidance helped everything run smoothly. In addition, Joel Midkiff proved invaluable to the show as he towed the club's equipment trailer to and from the show.

Thank you all again for helping make this great show a success.





Sights from the Tom Hanon Concours Show See More on the club website





Tom Hanon Concours Trophy Winners

Tom Hanon Concours Trophy Winners

Class	Type	Corvette Owner	Corvette
C/P B	C2	Steve Kennedy	1964 Coupe
C/P C	C3	Walt & Nancy Jenkins	1973 Coupe
C/P E	C4	Ralph Olson	1990 Convertible
C/P G	C6	Scott Applekamp	2010 ZR1 Coupe
C/P H	C7	Jim Snyder	2019 GS Coupe
C/P I 1 st	C8	Katee & John Driscoll	2023 Anniv Coupe
C/P I 2 nd	C8	Jim Oates	2025 ERay Coupe
S/S D	C3	Mike & Diana Dittman	1982 Coupe
S/S F	C5	Jay Whalen	2003 Convertible
S/S G	C6	Tanya Whalen	2013 GS Convertible
S/S H 1 st	C7	Mike Bochnak	2019 ZR1 Coupe
S/S H 2 nd	C7	Brian Enger	2014 Coupe
S/S I	C8	Todd & Jodi DeSchepper	2025 ERay Convertible
W/S C	C3 Early	Seth Bertino & Nicole Tamburelli	1970 Convertible
W/S D	C3 Late	David Goldsberry	1982 Coupe
W/S E	C4	Nathan Black	1989 Coupe
W/S F	C5	Bob Knowles	2004 Coupe
W/S G	C6	Jerry Ludke	2013 Coupe
W/S H 1 st	C6	Tom Ury	2016 Z06 Coupe
W/S H 2 nd	C7	Jerry & Denise Phillips	2014 Convertible
W/S I 1 st	C7	Rob Sanders	2024 Coupe
W/S I 2 nd	C8	Winnie Bochnak	2021 Coupe
MOD B	C2	Ron & Michelle Madd	1967 Coupe
MOD E	C4	Mike Burks	1994 Coupe
MOD G	C6	Scott Cronk	2013 GS Coupe
MOD H	C7	Blair White	2019 GS Coupe
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C/P B C2 Steve Kennedy 1964 Coupe

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- 📍 Auto Film Solutions
- 🕒 10 AM-12 PM

CARS & COFFEE ARE BACK FOR 2026

Now, every Saturday until late Fall you can meet up with Corvette folks and other Auto Enthusiasts at one of the area's Car & Coffee meets. It's an informal chance to get those Corvettes out and share the morning with friends. Most events have over 50 cars or so too. So, grab your keys and morning coffee and come join the fun.

Here's the monthly C & C "schedule":

First Saturday of the Month:
University Village on North Nevada
8-10am

Second Saturday of the Month:
Stockers Car Club Meet
Gunther Toody's on Woodmen
8-10am

Third Saturday of the Month:
Jeff Markewich's Show
6385 Corporate Drive
10am -12pm

Last Saturday of the Month
Bass Pro Shop
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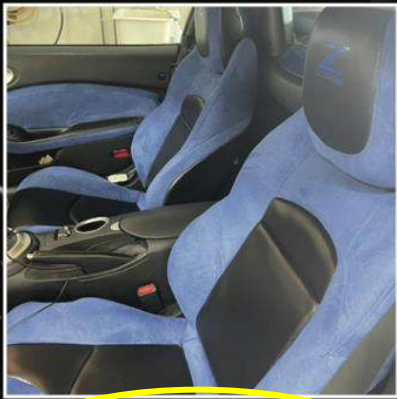
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2027 Corvette Production News

Price and Power of the 2027 Corvette Models

By John Elegant at Mid Engine Corvette Forum

Chevrolet first shared [2027 Corvette pricing](#) last week. In comparison to 2026's prices, the Stingray increased by just \$1,000, the Z06 by \$1,200. However, the ZR1 went up \$12,700 and the ZR1X went up \$17,800. Here is each models' entry MSRP and horsepower (prices below include the standard \$2,495 Destination Freight Charge transportation cost).

Stingray = \$ 73,495 with 535 HP

Grand Sport = \$ 88,495 with 535 HP

Grand Sport X = \$112,195 with 721 HP

Z06= \$121,395 with 670 HP

ZR1X = \$197,195 with 1,034 HP



New 2027 Colors - Admiral Blue & Pitch Gray Metallic

The Stingray went up only \$1,000 with its new LS6 engine, which has 45 more horsepower and increased torque. The Grand Sport model was officially revealed. It is the E-Ray's replacement, but with nice enhancements and options. If you are interested in purchasing a 2027, you should also look carefully, as option prices went up quite a bit. For example, the "D30" color override option went up from \$695 to \$1,495; "R8C" Museum Delivery went up \$200 to \$1,695 (after the \$500 raise two years ago). And don't forget - you still have to pay a Destination Fee, even though you're doing an R8C Museum Delivery. Other option price increases include the interior carbon fiber packages "FA5 & FA6" each went up \$250.

Changes:

- Dipped and Asymmetrical interiors now include colored trim below the auxiliary and center console displays (previously Black with colored stitching)
- (J6B) Blue-painted calipers are now available for all models with no requirements
- (NPP) Performance exhaust is now standard on all models
- (NGA) Black exhaust tips are now standard on all models
- (NWI) Bright, exposed, center quad exhaust tips are now available on all models
- (Z51) Z51 Performance Package updates include (QTU) 245/35ZR19 XL front and 305/30ZR20 XL rear high-performance tires (replaces QUD tires), (M1N) 8-speed dual clutch transmission and (G0K) 5.56 rear axle ratio (replaces GM7); (T0A) Rear spoiler aero changes, providing additional downforce
- (VYW) Premium carpeted floor mats LPO are now available with all interior colors; Black, Tan, or Torch Red stitching associated with applicable interiors
- 12-volt battery is now lithium ion for LS6 engine models (YC YE)



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Sunday May 31 Gates Open at 7am

Helmets? Please Exhausts? Closed
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5 Races \$25 Each or \$105 for ALL

Location:

**Code 303 Emergency Vehicle Operations Center (EVOC)
8500 N. Moore Road, Littleton CO 80125**



Register Here



More Info?

Contact Walt at 719-337-1143 or waltjenkins@comcast.net



COMING EVENTS



The Colorado Springs Corvette Club of
The Rocky Mountain NCCC Region Presents:



Cone Zone Autocross 5 Low Speed Autocrosses

Sunday – May 31st, 2026

Code 303 Emergency Vehicle Operation Center (EVOC)
8500 N Moore Rd. Littleton, CO 80125



Gates Open at 7:00am

Day of Event Registration Open 7:00am – 8:00am

Tech Inspection:

7:00am to 8:30 am

**** Driver's Meeting at 8:45am for all autocross events ****

First Car out - 9:00 am

Lunch – After Autocross 2 - on your own

Autocross 3, 4 & 5 – After lunch

Autocrosses = \$25 each

Enter all 5 Autocrosses = \$105.00

Online Registration at:

[Click Here to Register](#)

Online Registration closes at midnight on Friday, May 29th, 2026

Checks payable to CSCC and mail to: CSCC c/o Katee Driscoll 6583 PRAIRIE WIND DRIVE, Colorado Springs, CO 80923
(Refundable Pre-Payment must be RECEIVED by Thursday, May 28th)

Low Speed Autocross 1: NCCC Sanction # RM-183-001

Low Speed Autocross 2: NCCC Sanction # RM-183-002

Low Speed Autocross 3: NCCC Sanction # RM-183-003

Low Speed Autocross 4: NCCC Sanction # RM-183-004

Low Speed Autocross 5: NCCC Sanction # RM-183-005

Exhaust: CLOSED!!!

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. Class 3 cars are required to have and Class 2 cars are suggested to have a Fire Extinguisher. Safety and/or NCCC Rulebook infractions may result in disqualification or rejection from current and future event participation. No refunds will be made in this instance. Restrooms are available.

Note: Non-NCCC participants are NOT covered under NCCC Insurance

Electric Cars are not allowed to race and must be parked at least 30 feet from track

*All Times are Mountain Daylight Time

Trophies for Autocross - \$22.00 each

Governor: Walt Jenkins, waltjenkins@comcast.net, 719-337-1143

Chairpersons:

Autocross 1:	Walt Jenkins waltjenkins@comcast.net 719-337-1143	Co-Chair: Don Adametz 719-645-0660
Autocross 2:	Don Adametz 719-645-0660	Co-Chair: waltjenkins@comcast.net 719-337-1143
Autocross 3:	Tom Hoepfner tom.hoepfner@gmail.com 719-432-7382	Co-Chair: Barb Hoepfner bahoepfner@gmail.com 719-963-6217
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SATURDAY JUNE 13 10AM - 2PM
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Info: Katee - 719--510-9459 **VENMO:** @kateedriscoll
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ALL CORVETTES WELCOME

Register: <https://www.corvettesnccc.org/NCCCOnlineRegistration/Programs/Registration.php?eventid=559>





COMING EVENTS



Mike Maroone Chevrolet North Charity Corvette Car Show

Mike Maroone Chevrolet North
1570 Auto Mall Loop, Colorado Springs, CO 80920
Saturday, June 13, 10am – 2pm
\$25 Entry Fee

Proceeds are matched & go to Victory Service Dogs



Victory Service Dogs



On-site registration 8:00am - 10:00am. Register Online at:



<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/NCCCOOnlineRegistration/Programs/Registration.php?eventId=559>

Online registration closes 11:00pm, Thursday, June 11th

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Co-chair – Rick McGuffin, 719-210-8929 rickmcguffin@msn.com
Governor – Walt Jenkins, 710-597-2904, waltjenkins@comcast.net

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06/06/2026 & 06/07/2026

Ten National Sanctioned Low-Speed Autocross Events
RM-176-002 – RM-176-005 and RM-114-008 – RM-114-0012



Take I-70 exit 299 (N Manila Rd/Co Rd 28), north on Manila Rd. Take the first right past CO 36/E Colfax Ave and the railroad tracks. This is the entry to the airport property. Follow the road east and then north. See page 2 for the map.

Online registration is required. Pay at onsite registration.

Weekend entry fee - \$225 PER DRIVER for both days (includes lunch both days)
Single-day entry fee - \$130 PER DRIVER (includes lunch)
Exact cash or check. No credit card payments.

[ONLINE REGISTRATION](#)

Please double-check the spelling of your name, car number, and class when registering online.
Registration closes at midnight on June 3rd.

Check-in & tech will only be open in the morning.

Printed car numbers (6" minimum) on both sides of the car in a contrasting color to the car body – details on the last page.

>>> Closed Exhaust <<<

Snell-approved helmets (SA) or (M) no older than 10 years from the date of manufacture are required per NCCC rules and insurance.

These will be working/run events. All participants will be needed to help as requested.

Events run per NCCC National competition rules and classes.

Non-NCCC participants are NOT covered under NCCC Insurance.

Electric Cars are not allowed to race and must be parked at least 30 feet from the track.

Schedule

Check-in: 7:30 – 8:30 am (MST) | Tech: 7:30 – 8:30 am | Drivers meeting: 9:00 am

Chairs:

Ron Bauer (ron@bauerracing.com) | Ken Bauer (ken@bauerracing.com) | Charlie Bauer | Paul Kopp | Patrick Andrist
Pete Urenda | Cindy Urenda

Governor:

TORCA: Paul Kopp (paulkopp@hotmail.com) | DCA: Cindy Urenda (cdurenda@comcast.net)



COMING
EVENTS





JUNE 26
DRIVE YOUR CORVETTE TO WORK DAY
An annual event that encourages Corvette owners to drive their cars to work.

DRIVE-YOUR-CORVETTE-TO-WORK-DAY - JUNE 26TH

- Lead – Diana Dittman
- Celebrating Corvette's 73rd Birthday
- Location - Bird Dog BBQ on Centennial Blvd
- 1130am-130pm
- Meet – Greet – Eat



WINE CRUISE TO THE ABBEY SUNDAY - JUNE 28TH

- Lead – Diana Dittman
- Location – Canon City Area
- Cruise ends at the Holy Cross Abbey Winery
- More details next month





La Junta Speedway

2 Days/11 Events
May 24-25, 2026

Hosted by
Denver Corvette Association & Corvettes Across the Rockies

Open to all Makes and Models meeting Safety Requirements.
Electric vehicles are not allowed. Hybrids are okay.

Events run per NCCC competition rulebook. Non-NCCC members are NOT covered by NCCC insurance.

Sunday 5/24	DCA Sanction #s RM-114-001 - RM-114-007	\$150 for all 11 events 7 on Sunday & 4 on Monday
	Check-in & Tech 7:00-8:00 am Mandatory Drivers' Meeting at 8:15 am First car out at 8:30 am Entry Fee: \$105.00 per driver	On-site registration will be open 7:00-7:30 am only. However, pre-registration is greatly appreciated! Drivers must show valid driver's license, wear closed toed shoes, and use a Snell approved helmet no older than 10 years from date of manufacture per NCCC rules and insurance requirements. Non-NCCC members are not covered by NCCC insurance. Open exhaust is allowed.
Monday 5/25	CAR Sanction #s RM-610-008 - RM-610-011	On-site lunch will be available for purchase on Sunday \$10 per person
	Check-in & Tech 7:00-8:00 am (If you didn't participate on Sunday) Mandatory Drivers' Meeting at 8:15 am First car out at 8:30 am Entry Fee: \$60.00 per driver	We have a 6:00 pm dinner reservation for 30 people on Sunday evening at Boss Hogg's Saloon & Restaurant 600 E. 28th St. Ft. Collins

<http://www.corvettesnccc.org/NCCCOOnlineRegistration/Programs/Registration.php?eventId=397>

Pre-register at



DCA CHAIRPERSONS

Pete & Cindy Urenda
720-217-1545

Chris & Angela Blaisdell
719-545-0819

NCCC GOVERNOR

Cindy Urenda
cdurenda@comcast.net



The track is about 10 minutes north of town.
➢ North on CO-109 / Adams Ave
➢ Turn right on Harris Road
➢ Turn left on Otero Ave
➢ Turn left on Railroad St
➢ 30267 1st Ave, La Junta, CO 81050



CAR CHAIRPERSONS

Loren & Laurie Loowen
719-749-2888

Jeff & Lisa Hauswirth
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Ron Bauer
ron@bauerracing.com

Hotel: Corvette group rate \$124/night + tax at Hampden Inn.

COMING EVENTS



Support our kids!

"CHECKERED FLAG CHARITY CAR SHOW"



SATURDAY
May 16, 2026

10:00-2:00

Metcalfe Park-Fountain, CO

704 E. Ohio



CLASSES:

Antique (1981 or older)/Classic
Sport
Open
Awards given for each class

CAR REGISTRATION

\$20 for Pre-registration
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CAR Show 2026



Sunday May 17th

9AM – 2PM

Registration 8:00AM - 10:00AM

Boulder County Fairgrounds

Longmont Colorado

Pre-Registration Online \$10 Fee

(Online Registration closes May 14th)

Registering the Day of the show \$15

Make Check payable to TORCA

MAIL TO: TORCA c/o Kevin Duncan

11518 Community Center Dr. #17, Northglenn, CO. 80233

Must Receive Check before May 16th

Non NCCC members are not covered by NCCC insurance.

Electric cars are not allowed - Hybrids are ok



Online Pre-Register

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#RM-176-006

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All Chevys Welcome

People's Choice Car Show

Saturday, June 6, 2026

8 am to 1 pm

Check in & Parking Assignments: 8:00-9:00

Lunch Provided for Show Participants

People's Choice Awards: 1:00 pm

\$20 Entry Fee per Car – All Proceeds go to
Back the Blue K-9 Force



Meet the dogs and their handlers!

Pre-registration required by May 6. Pre-payment required by May 9.

Register online at <https://corvettesnccc.org/NCCCOOnlineRegistration/Programs/Registration.php?eventId=399>

Non-NCCC members are not covered by NCCC insurance. Electric vehicles are not allowed. Hybrids are okay.

Contact: cdurenda@comcast.net or Cindy Urenda, PO Box 20956, Aurora, CO 80042

Event Chairs:

Corey Krause cekrause@gmail.com Frank Valdez FrankV271@outlook.com
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2026 NCCC NATIONAL CONVENTION

Syracuse NY, June 20 – 27, 2026

The NCCC “Governor’s Garage” podcast released several promotional videos to support the upcoming **67th Annual NCCC Convention in Syracuse, New York.**

These videos highlight competition, community, and the travel experiences surrounding Convention week.

Club Governors are encouraged to share these videos with their clubs and members through social media, newsletters, and club communications.

The more members who see these videos, the more awareness we create for Convention week.

CONVENTION VIDEO SERIES TO SHARE:

Governor’s Garage – Debbie Schafer Convention Interview:

<https://youtu.be/-eh4IXdyrxs?si=ksqmnRTIMlwzQoSF>

Episode Short: <https://youtu.be/iy8wAwqFGiU>

Short 1: <https://youtube.com/shorts/hSh2xfM3cgw>

Short 2: <https://youtube.com/shorts/NBII8CiRrQU>

Short 3: <https://youtube.com/shorts/LcPCloFM4Wl>

Short 4: <https://youtube.com/shorts/cUFKUHPGUdw>

The Governor’s Garage Page on the NCCC Website:

<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/YouTube/GovernorsGarage/>

Convention Information:

<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/2026Convention/Convention2026.php>

Registration Information:

<https://www.corvettesnccc.org/2026Convention/2026Registration/RegistrationInstructions.pdf>



2023 CALLAWAY SUPERCHARGED 2LT Z51 STINGRAY COUPE



Ordered and purchased from MacMulkin as a Callaway. Car was built and sent directly to Callaway by GM.

— **DETAILS** —

- Torch Red Exterior
- Black Leather Interior
- Competition Seats
- Carbon Fiber Interior Trim
- Magnetic Ride Suspension
- Borla S-Type Exhaust
- ACS Composites Front Splitter
- ACS Composites Side Skirts
- Callaway Ceramic Polished Wheels
- Callaway Supercharger Package with 687 HP and 643 Ft Lbs Torque
- Never Driven in Rain / Snow / Salt



— **PROVENANCE** —

- Original Owner
- Callaway Production Number 042
- Displayed by Callaway at the 2023 SEMA Show
- Still under Callaway warranty until February 2027
- Sale Includes all Callaway Documentation, GM Model, and Window Sticker

— **ASKING PRICE** —

- \$95K or Best Offer

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2017 Corvette Z06 Coupe 3LZ - Asking \$82,000



- 3LZ Premium Equipment Group
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- 9,020 Miles
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- Kept in Heated Garage, One Owner
- No Damage, Never Tracked/Raced/Auto Crossed
- Annual Service Records
- Platinum GM Warranty to 10/7/2026
- Several Concours Awards

- Asking \$82,500
- Contact: Gerry Turner
- 719-203-6540 (leave message)
- Z06Driver2@gmail.com

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- Power Ebony Leather Seats
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- Tilt & Telescopic Steering Column
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- Keyless Entry
- Only 4,908 Grand Sport coupes were produced in 2013
- Car only has 55,000 miles.
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2013 Corvette Grand Sport Coupe 2LT



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Midsize | \$349
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7 Year | \$1,790
Lifetime | \$2,290

Powder Coating

4 Wheels | \$795
MT & BAL | \$120

Window Tint

2 Front Windows | \$155
All Windows - no windshield | \$405
All Windows - with windshield | \$710

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Nickel size | Starting at \$165

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* Prices listed are "Starting At" prices

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Garage Accessories For Sale

- Pittsburgh 3 Ton Low Profile Floor Jack.
- Retail for \$150.00, only \$75.00
- Air Force Blaster Side Kick Portable Car Dryer.
- Retail is \$120.00, only \$25.00
- Dewalt 1600A Battery Jumper.
- Retail for \$100.00, only \$50.00
- PICO Telescoping Armchair. Great for car shows. Fits very nicely in the Frunk of a C8.
- Retail for \$125.00. Only \$50.00
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Corvettes Available For Sale at Mike Maroone Chevrolet Today!

2005 Corvette Base (Magnetic Red) - 74.5K miles - \$22.7K

2018 Corvette Stingray (Torch Red) - 18K Miles - \$47.7K

2019 Corvette Stingray Z51 (Arctic White) - 26.8K Miles - \$51.7K

2020 Corvette Stingray (Blue Metallic) - 29.3K Miles - \$64K

***** Contact Joel Olson at Mike Maroone Chevrolet North ***
480-313-6698 or JOlson@mikemarooneauto.com**



For Sale

**2017 Grand Sport
Wheels in Brushed
Silver**

Front wheels are 19 x 9.5

Rear wheels are 20 x 12

Excellent Condition

**No scratches or
blemishes**

**Huge Price Drop
Asking \$1000**

**Contact Ron Wynn at
719-337-9211**

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- **BBK Cast Aluminum Cold Air Intake for C6**

- **Mild-to-Wild Exhaust Module for C6, includes all instructions. \$175.00 for all. That's a steal!!**



- **Complete set of Black Lloyds Mats for C6 Grand Sport, great shape. \$150.00**

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Driveway Ramps for Sale

- 48" Driveway Ramps
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- Low Profile Design with Water Drainage Channel
- Garage & Sidewalk Transition Solution
- Includes hardware to bolt together
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Contact Tad Brown at:

719-650-5254 or tb427z06@live.com



2004 Z06 Shocks, still in the box

These OEM shocks were discontinued in 2014.

A search of GM dealers & GM parts depots reflects that there are none to be had anywhere.

These may be the only ones available in the USA?

2 - each 10339944 (GM part #) Front Retail \$198.34 each

2 - each 10333945 (GM part #) Rear Retail \$232.34 each. With tax \$931.99 total.

First \$800.00 takes them, my loss your gain.

Text me, if you want pictures of the factory sealed boxes.

Call Craig Wisniewski at 719-229-9313





Insurance for your Corvette

Don't let insurance curb the fun of driving your sports car.

Sports cars have a tendency to be more expensive to protect, but it's possible to put the brakes on higher cost sports car insurance if you choose to **bundle** your existing home and auto insurance with insurance for your sports car.

What vehicles are considered sports cars?

Vehicles with higher horsepower tend to fall into the category of sports cars. Typically, these cars have two doors, sit closer to the ground and usually have two seats. There are different varieties of sports cars, such as the traditional sporty vehicles like Chevrolet Camaros or Corvettes, Dodge Challengers or Toyota Supras, and higher-end vehicles like Lamorghini, Ferrari and Porsche.



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719-593-9200

Corvette Owner & CSCC Member

7610 N. Union Blvd, Ste 115
Colorado Springs, CO 80920

Debbie Vandel, Agent



Corvette Trivia Quiz

by Scott Applekamp

(Answers on page 39)

It's the 5th Month
So, let's talk about C-FIVE's



Shawn Lavrick's C5 Quad Turbo Coupe



These smiling jet jockeys own a pair of Z06s.
They've been in CSCC for 11 years ... Who dey?

They are our May 2026 Flashback Photo.

1. When was the first year of C5 Corvette production?
a. 1996 b. 1997 c. 1998 d. 1999
2. What was a major appearance difference between the C5 and future Corvettes?
a. Pop-up headlights b. Rear trunk
c. Center brake light d. Gull wing doors
3. Who was the Chief Engineer for the C5?
a. Zora Arkus-Duntov b. Bill Mitchell
c. Dave Hill d. Dave McLellan
4. Are all C5 Z06's exclusively Fixed Roof Coupes?
a. Yes b. No
5. True or False? The C5 was the first Corvette to utilize a hydroformed frame?
a. True b. False
6. What year was the primary special anniversary model for the C5 Corvette?
a. 1996 b. 2000
c. 2008 d. 2003
7. True or False? The special anniversary model for the C5 Corvette could be purchased in the coupe, convertible, and Z06 models?
a. True b. False
8. Was a Corvette Grand Sport version offered in the C5?
a. Yes b. No
9. What engine was offered in the first C5 Corvette?
a. LS5 b. LT4 c. LT1 d. LS1
10. What year C5 Corvette featured optional Radar Purple paint, bright yellow wheels, and multicolored interior and also paced the Indy 500?
a. 1978 b. 1999 c. 1998 d. 1995

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1. Answer: b; The C5 was first produced in 1997, with a total of 248,715 produced. The peak year was 2001 with 35,767 manufactured that year.
2. Answer: a; Pop-up headlights were eliminated after the C5 Corvette due to stricter international pedestrian safety regulations, declining reliability, and aerodynamic limitations.
3. Answer: c; Dave Hill became the 3rd Chief Engineer for the Corvette on Nov. 18, 1992. He retired on January 1, 2006, and was succeeded by Tadge Juechter.
4. Answer: a; Yes; all 2001-2004 C5 Z06 Corvettes were produced exclusively as Fixed Roof Coupes (FRC). This was chosen to reduce weight and increase structural rigidity by approximately 12% compared to the standard hatchback.
5. Answer: a; True, the 1997 Corvette (C5) was the first generation to utilize hydroformed frame rails. Using approximately 7,000 psi to shape a 13-foot-long side rail that was significantly stronger and lighter compared to the C4's traditional backbone chassis.
6. Answer: d; The 2003 50th Anniversary Edition (RPO 1SC), celebrating five decades of the Corvette featured exclusive Anniversary Red exterior paint, a Shale Gray interior, Champagne-colored wheels, special badging & embroidery, and introduced Magnetic Selective Ride Control. 11,632 were produced.
7. Answer: b; False, the 2003 50th Anniversary Corvette was only offered on the Coupe and Convertible, not the Z06.
8. Answer: b; No, a Grand Sport model was not offered for any C5 Corvette. The 1996 C4, 2010-2013 C6's, and the 2017-2019 C7's had a Grand Sport model, and only 5 were made in 1963. And now the Corvette Grand Sport has returned for the 2027 C8!
9. Answer: d; The LS1 all-new aluminum-block 5.7L V8 engine was introduced with the launch of the C5, producing 345 horsepower and 350 lb-ft of torque. It replaced the stalwart small block engine that was available in all Corvettes from 1955 thru 1996.
10. Answer: c; 1,163 1998 C5 pace cars were produced and known for its distinctive Radar Purple paint, bright yellow wheels, and multicolored interior. It featured a 5.7-liter LS1 V8 engine and both automatic and six-speed manual transmissions were available.



Bonus Question ...

Did you recognize this month's Flashback Photo Stars?

That's Gerry & Kathy Turner!
They've owned many Corvettes over the years. (and also, a '67 Chevelle SS 396)

They currently own a 2017 Z06 Coupe and a 2024 Z06 Coupe

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