

Air Capital Corvette Club Newsletter

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Message from the Prez . . .

April was a great month for getting the Corvettes out and ripping around.

The ACCC had five Corvettes entered in the Corvette show put on by our friends at the Corvettes of Enid Club. I personally had a great time hanging out with fellow club members and good friends giving the vette a good cleaning and wax job. I have to give kudos to Rex and Candy Corbin for helping me with the wax job.

We had a great meeting on April 6th, with a large turn out and I think we set a record for the amount of people that went to eat. It is so good and enjoyable to see a large turn out for the meeting. It really helps the E-Board when we are conducting club business to have the input of so many of the membership. If you haven't been to a club meeting for awhile you need to come and see what you're missing.

The Drive-and-Eat was hosted by Bob & Marsha Battaglear and they led us around town to the Wild Fire Cafe at Webb & Harry with a tour of the Felipe Jr. parking lot along the way. The food was good and so was the company. We had twenty Corvettes and one old nasty, smelly, bird of some kind, I think we'll ban that thing from being involved with a Corvette function again, because it was parked next to me and my Corvette has been acting kind of strange ever since. Don Crigler did a burn out for us when he and his family left, so that

topped the off the evening. Thanks to Bob & Marsha for a great Drive-and-Eat.

It was my distinct pleasure to lead a group of twelve Corvettes from Wichita to Bowling Green on April 14th. We toured our way across the bottom of Missouri to the Illinois & Kentucky border where we crossed the convergence of the Mississippi & Ohio rivers (what a sight). It was so cool to be running down the road about ??? miles per hour and look in your mirror and see a line of beautiful Corvettes behind you (what a sight).

The trip was fantastic! I can't wait for the next one! It was so cool to see all the new Corvettes being built, the factory tour was great, if you have not done that, you need to. We met up with the Fastglass Corvette Club from Jonesboro AR. and had diner at an old plantation owned by the director of the Corvette Museum. After we ate Wendell addressed the crowd and told us about the farm and how he came to own it and how he became the director of the Corvette Museum and then answered some questions.

Our next ROAD TRIP is coming up on May 14 & 15 to the Pioneer Village in Minden NE.; it will be a great time. If you want to go, you will need to make your hotel reservations soon.

See you at the meeting, Kevin.



Note: Day, Time and Location Change for this month

Minutes from the April 6, 2005 ACCC Meeting

The April meeting of the Air Capital Corvette Club, held at Don Hattan Chevrolet was called to order by the President Kevin Mansfield promptly at 7pm. Kevin ask for the March minutes to be approved as published in the newsletter the motion was carried by Daryl Burbach and second by Gene Brown. Thanks to all of the 35 that attended this months meeting which included guest Rick Cain owning a "77" and new members Pat & Barb Zenner.

Officers Reports:

Vice President Greg Esping reported new membership packets are completed and will be sending out to our latest members.

Treasurer Gary Henderson reported \$1072.86 savings account and \$854.28 in the checking account. It was also noted there was an error in the last newsletter showing check #703 issued to Secretary Mary Mehl for supplies in the amount of \$70.00 this amount is incorrect, the correct amount is \$30.76.

Officer at Large Connie Fitzgibbons just wanted to remind everyone to let her know if the point sheet needs to be updated and again it's every members responsibility to let her know if you have participated in an event.

Secretary Mary Mehl reported completing re-organizing the past minutes including the e-board reports from 1976 to present.

Governor Monte Rans reported trip to Columbia Missouri Car Show a charity event was a terrific car show, also Monte has NCCC flyer's.

Newsletter Editor Kent Michael reported raffle tickets for sale to win 2005 Corvette if interested talk to him.

Old Business the Enid Car Show was a success with 5 cars from our club entering and 4 received trophies.

New Business talked about the Minden, Nebraska trip coming up on May 14 & 15, everyone going needs to make room reservations.

Swap & Shop Gene Brown has a Harley Davidson Bike for sale and Louise Michael has a 2002 Chrysler Sebring.

50/50 Pot was won by Bob Shick in the amount of 18.50 and won gave half of that back to the club, thank you Bob.

Door Prize was won by Bob and Marsha Battaglear.

Meeting was adjourned by Kevin and second by Betty Henderson and everyone was invited to meet at Cracker Barrel for some good food.

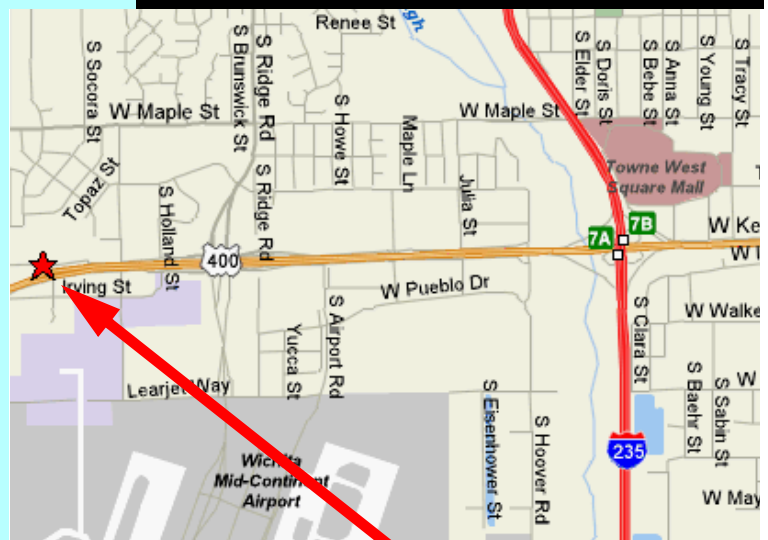
Stay Healthy and Have Fun
Secretary Mary Mehl

**Saturday, May 7th
Drive & Eat**

Due to River Festival Congestion and Traffic, this month we will meet in the parking lot of the Home Depot at West Kellogg and Tyler Road (8444 McCormick Street)

**Hosted By:
Greg & Marie Esping**

**Group Leaves Promptly
at 5:30 PM**



Meeting Location for This Months Drive & Eat

2005 Schedule of Events

May 4	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.	July 28-31	32nd Annual Vettes On The Rockies, Beaver Run Resort, Breckenridge, Colorado
May 7	May Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Greg & Marie Esping	August 3	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.
June 1	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.	August 5	August Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Doug & Mary Mehl
June 3	June Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Monte & Chris Rans	August 26-28	Corvettes at Carlisle, Carlisle, PA
June 10-12	4th Annual Branson Car Show Corvette Weekend, www.carsplusclassics.com/carshow , Branson, Missouri	September 7	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.
June 12	33rd Annual W.A.C.C.C. All Wheels Car Show, 11am-4pm, Lake Afton, Wichita, Kansas	September 9	September Drive and Eat, Hosted by: David & Gina DaMetz
June 19	11th Annual Cruisin' in the Jungle Car Show, Sedgwick County Zoo, Wichita, Kansas	September 11	A.C.C.C, Funkahana
June 23-26	33rd Annual Bloomington Gold Corvette Show & Swap Meet, Pheasant Run Resort, St. Charles, St. Charles, Illinois	September 16-18	Mid America Motorworks Corvette Funfest, Effingham, Illinois
July 6	A.C.C.C. Meeting/Ice Cream Social, 7:00 P.M., Beech Lake Shelter House, 13th & Webb Road, Wichita, Kansas.	September 29 October 2	Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend, Eureka Springs, Arkansas
July 8	July Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Gene & Marcene Brown	October 5	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.
July 13-17	34th Annual Black Hills Corvette Classic, Spearfish, South Dakota	October 7	October Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Dale & Barbara Brotton
July 16	Airplane, Car & Motorcycle Show Benefit for The ALS Association, 8:00am-2:00pm, Jabara Airport, Wichita, Kansas	November 2	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.
July 17-22	NCRS 2005 National Convention, Park City, Utah	November 4	November Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Kevin & Paula Mansfield
July 23-29	NCCC National, Convention, St. Cloud, Minnesota	December 7	A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.
		December 9	December Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Daryl & Cindy Burbach



The Current and some past presidents of the A.C.C.C.

Minutes from the April 20, 2005 ACCC E-Board Meeting

April's meeting at Don Hattan Chevrolet was called to order by President Kevin Mansfield promptly at 7pm.

Vice President Greg Esping announced mailing and handing out 5 new member packets, a big thank you to Greg for taking charge of this project.

Treasurer Gary Henderson was absent.

Secretary Mary Mehl did not have any new news to report at this time.

Officer at Large Connie Fitzgibbons talked about making room reservations on time for the Minden, Nebraska trip coming up.

Governor Monte Rans talked a little of the Funkahana coming up later this year.

Newsletter Kent Michael did not have any new news to report.

Old Business: The road trip to Bowling Green was discussed, they had lot's of fun it was a success for all that attended.

New Business: It was brought to attention the idea of some variety in the e-board meetings by changing occasionally to a Friday or Saturday night. Everyone was in agreement that it sounded like a great idea especially for those out of town.

Meeting was adjourned by Kevin until next time.

Have lots of fun

Secretary Mary Mehl



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ACCC Treasure report 4-22-05

Savings account	
Balance 3-22-05	\$1073.94
Interest	\$1.06
Balance 4-22-05	\$1075.00
Checking account	
Balance 3-22-05	\$854.28
Deposits	
4-8-05	\$579.00
4-22-05	\$51.00
Expenses	
Check #704 - National Corvette Museum	\$464.00
Check #705 - Kansas Secretary of State	\$40.00
Balance 4-22-05	\$980.28



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For thousands of years man lived quite simply. Then like a sleeping giant our world was awakened. In a mere hundred and twenty years of eternal time man progressed from open hearth, grease lamps and ox carts to television, super sonic speed, and atomic power. We have endeavored to show you the actual development of this astounding progress as it was unfolded by our forefathers and by ourselves

Harold Warp, Founder

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- Pony Express Relay Station - Original Elm Creek Stockade -
- Historic Country Church - Historic General Store - Historic Sod House -
- One Room School House - Antique Toy Collection - Blacksmith Shop -

Hours of operation:

8 am - 5 pm with extended summer hours. We are open every day of the year, including all major Holidays, except Christmas Day.

Admission rates:

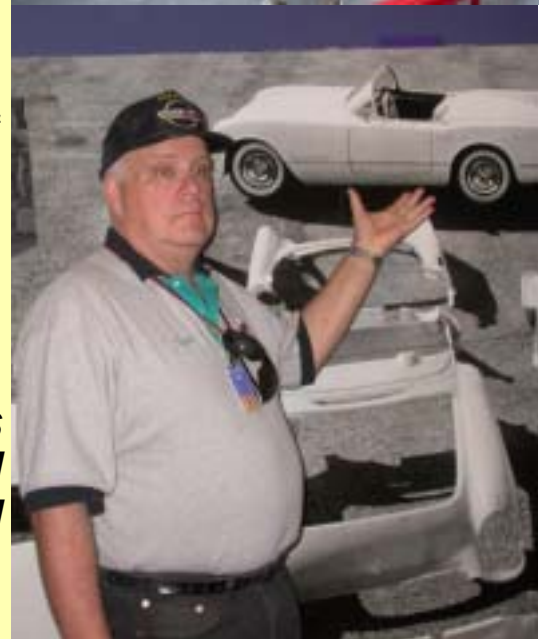
Adult \$9.50 + tax.

Children (6-12 yrs. old) \$5.00 + tax

5 yrs. old & under FREE.

Every admission includes a FREE pass for the following day.

If you have not made your reservations for Saturday, May 14, you need to call 1-800-445-4447 to make your Motel reservations ASAP.



Air Capital Corvette Club

Wichita, Kansas

Membership Application

Regular membership dues for A.C.C.C. are \$50.00 per year for new members and \$45.00 per year for renewals. Membership dues include A.C.C.C. spouse membership and one National Council of Corvette Clubs (N.C.C.C.) membership.

Associate membership, designed for the non-Corvette owner, is \$25.00 per year for new members and \$20.00 per year for renewals. Associate membership does not include spouse or N.C.C.C. membership.

A.C.C.C. requires all members to be at least 18 years of age and hold a current valid driver's license.

Dues for renewals are payable on September 1st and are considered delinquent after the November A.C.C.C. meeting. Renewals received after the November meeting will be considered as new. Memberships received after September 1st will be valid through the next calendar year.

Please fill out this form and bring it to the next meeting of The Air Capital Corvette Club or mail to:

Air Capital Corvette Club
P.O. Box 813
Wichita, KS 67201

Checks should be made payable to:

Air Capital Corvette Club

Regular Membership	Associate Membership	Amount Paid: \$ _____
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Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Initial)

Address: _____ Home Phone: (____) ____-_____

(City) (State) (Zip) Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Do you have a current valid driver's license? Yes No State Issued: _____

Place of Employment/Occupation: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Work Phone: (____) ____-_____

Spouse:

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Initial)

Do you have a current valid driver's license? Yes No State Issued: _____

Place of Employment/Occupation: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Work Phone: (____) ____-_____

Year(s) and Type of Corvette(s) Currently Owned: _____

Members Signature: _____ Spouse Signature: _____

Date ____/____/____

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Next Meeting
Wednesday, May 4th, 2005
7:00 P.M.
Don Hattan Chevrolet
6000 Hattan Dr.
Wichita, KS 67219

The Air Capital Corvette Club meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Drive, Wichita, Kansas unless otherwise stated.

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