

April 1999

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March 29, 1999

To my fellow QCCC members:

Spring has sprung. March has now past and left us with some wonderful memories of QCCC activities. For instance, the Krupowicz's won the rally, Ray Stonitsch won the bowling trophy, and Eddie Burt who probably won the unofficial dance contest at Coyote Joe's. April is upon us and that means it's time for AutoFair & our Charleston, SC caravan. Join in on the fun.

For AutoFair visitors, QCCC has 300 Corvette posters and around 100 pairs of sunglasses to give out. There will probably be a donation box for folks to make contributions to. We will also have the **National Council of Corvette Club** information booth set up to sell 1999 Corvette raffle tickets for the National Kidney Foundation and, answer any NCCC related questions. Queen City Corvette Club will be presenting a check to the Speedway Children's Charities on Sunday afternoon during the AutoFair awards. AutoFair passes are limited to the first 50 people and 25 Corvettes. Contact Jeff Estridge for yours.

Enclosed you will find a copy of our QCCC by-laws with proposed changes submitted from our by-laws review committee. Thanks to Rick Witcher and his committee members for their efforts with making suggestions on improving our QCCC by-laws. Please take a moment to review these by-laws and the proposed changes. We will be discussing the reasons for changes needed and vote on adopting any changes during our <u>April & May business meeting</u>.

One last thing, <u>Thank you</u> John Meadows for your help and assistance with producing our QCCC web site. It has been updated and looks great! We receive around 100 "hits" every week. Many are inquiring about membership. A QCCC web browser can now link themselves to Eckler's, NCCC Carolinas Region, and the National Corvette Museum. Check it out at <u>www.queencitycorvette.com</u>.

Sincerely,

Jon Elliott

Purple Racer Report



April... 1999's only 1/3 of the way over and we've already had a years worth of fun. Thanks again Nancy for a SUPER job.

Thanks also to the hearty souls that braved the cold to do the St. Patrick's Day Parade. We had 15 cars (11 convertibles and 4 coupes) all with tops off or down to carry dignitaries and guests. It was a great parade and bound to be larger next year. (The organizers were thrilled we participatedespecially those green cars.)

April is Auto Fair month.... this year it's April 8-11. We'll meet on Friday night the 9th at 6:30 behind the restaurant on Morehead Street ...across from the Speedway and caravan in together. The meeting will follow. If you don't have your passes and you want to attend & show your car please let me know or see me Friday night. We hope to have the NCCC traveling display in our area...haven't heard back as of this date. Auto Fair's always lots of fun and a great way to meet other members recruit new members and show off our cars. Please plan on attending.

Check your calendar for all upcoming events. Be sure to volunteer for our autocross events in June – See Bob Denney.

This month's spotlight is on our President & Secretary, Jon & Betsy Elliott. Jon, Betsy, Emily & Margaret have been members of QCCC since April '95 during which Jon previously served as VP Social and set the standards for all that have followed in that position. Their '63 split window is the 1st of 12 Vettes they've owned (one time owned 5 at once). Jon was bitten by the "Vette Bug" at an early age when big brother Steve got a red on red split window while in college. Steve followed this with a '68 big block. Jon's '63 was located with lots of help from brother Steve, several friends and the late C.H. Nalley from Chevy's Under Glass in Shelby. After 13 years of marriage, Jon & Betsy enjoy QCCC activities like the parades, Mountain Run, Beach, Auto Fair and like most of us would and do anything this club needs to improve & grow. Thanks Jon & Betsy for your great leadership and friendship. It's what QCCC is all about.

Til next month..... Save the Wave ~~~~~~

Jeff

VP - SOCIAL REPORT NANCY RUNNION 841-2283

Lets bowl again sometime. I believe that everyone who went bowling after our last meeting had a great time. Ray Stonitsch, with a score of 173, won the QCCC trophy. This will be in his possession until the next time we bowl.

Our April 9, 1999 meeting will be held at our AutoFair site inside of the speedway. Yes, this is a Friday evening meeting. We will meet at the Amoco mini-mart, at 6:00pm, sharp! From there we will proceed to the speedway tunnel entrance, and on to set up our venue at the Winners Circle. The Amoco is located on the northwest corner of Hwy 29 & Morehead Road, across from the Lowe's Motor Speedway. Afterwards, we will be eating and socializing at The Graduate, 10008 University City Blvd., Charlotte, NC.

See me for information on the Marietta, OH trip. It is going to be so much fun.

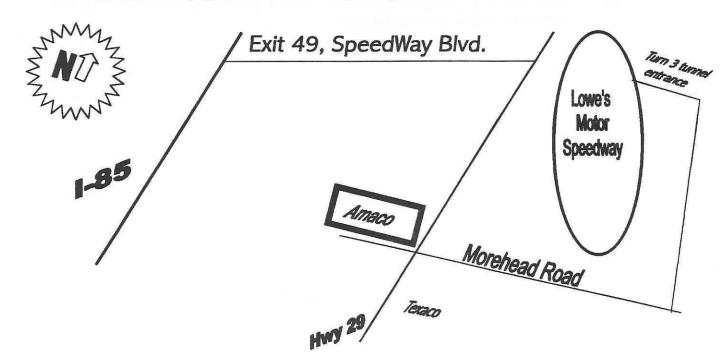
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The secret letter is T for this month.

Please see the back page for dates and times of upcoming events.



LIST OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1. April 9, AutoFair monthly meeting and dinner at Graduate
- 2. April 17-18 Charleston, SC Trip
- 3. May 8, regular monthly meeting at the Fischers 6:30
- 4. May 15, Burlington, NC Hospice Balloon Festival & Air Show
- 5. May 25, Festival of Light Parade
- 6. May 30 road trip and family outing at Cane Creek Park 2:00 till closing
- 7. June 3, 4, 5 and 6 trip to Marietta, Ohio to visit their Corvette Club.
- 8. June 12, regular monthly meeting at Rena and Jay's house at 6:00 p.m.
- 9. June 19-20 Autocross at Knights Stadium (more details later)
- 10. July 10, regular monthly meeting at Good Ol Days at 5:00 p.m. to show cars with meeting starting at 6:00
- 11. July 17, family outing at Latta Plantation 10:00 a.m. until. Boating, birds, etc.
- 12. August 14, Burt's home regular monthly meeting for BBQ 6:00
- 13. August 20-22 trip to Carlisle, P.A. for Corvette show
- 14. August 21, club outing to the Artis' home on Lake Murray, SC
- 15. August 29, trip to Spencer, NC Train Museum
- 16. September 3-6, Bowling Green, KY Corvette Museum anniversary trip
- 17. September 11, regular monthly meeting at Dale Earnhardt's shop (??)
- 18. September 17-19, Fall AutoFair
- 19. September 24, NCRS Banner Elk, NC
- 20. October 1-3 QCCC Beach Trip to Myrtle Beach, SC
- 21. October 9, regular monthly meeting at Morrison Motors and trip to Classic car museum
- 22. October 10, Mountain Run to Shatley Springs, NC with NCRS folks
- 23. October 23, Carrigan Farms hay ride
- 24. November 6, regular monthly meeting at Hereford Barn
- 25. November 12-14 Mountain trip to Hendersonville, NC
- 26. December 11, regular monthly meeting and Christmas party at Burt's house. 6:00
- 27. January 15, 2000 Awards Banquet



Ruby Beauty Report

If you are not a member of NCCC join! It is to in your best interests, as well as the Clubs. We currently have 51 members but we need everyone to belong. See me today for your application.

Well this month we are going to visit Charleston. It should be fun ... We have 28 Cars entered for the Caravan. Hope yours is one of them. Chev's Under Glass has 4 Cars Southern Corvette Club has 2 ... we even have a Car coming from Lancaster Ohio to join us on the drive.

As I write this I am thinking about the up coming Autocross events. Columbia's will be over by the time you get this and the next speed event will be Southern Corvette Club's Drag Race on May 15th. Those of you who would like to know how fast your car can go in a 1/4 mile should try this event. Then our Autocross which, will be June 19th and 20th starts the list of high and low speed events. Make sure you have our events marked on your calendar. There will be several super speed events going on in this summer. Put your car through its paces. It is fun and educational let me tell you learning when the tires will break loose is safer on a race track than on the streets.... I can attest to this personally.... and it is expensive.

As I mentioned at the last meeting.... Regional **needs** workers for the South Sectional on the 3rd and 4th of July. There will be 2 low speed events and 4 high speed events that weekend. Take a look at the Flyer in this months group of Flyers. There is also a reminder for the National Convention.

The application for the Museum Caravan is included for you to fill out and get registered Let Eddie know about your room needs. Eddie is keeping track of how many rooms we still have available.

Lets all get involved. It was very heart warming to see so many cars at the St. Patrick Parade and at Nancy's Ralley. Lets all plan on participating in one of the events offered this year. I am sure that once you experience the thrill of putting your trusty steed through its paces... be it Drag Racing, Autocrossing, Concours or what ever have fun with your car.

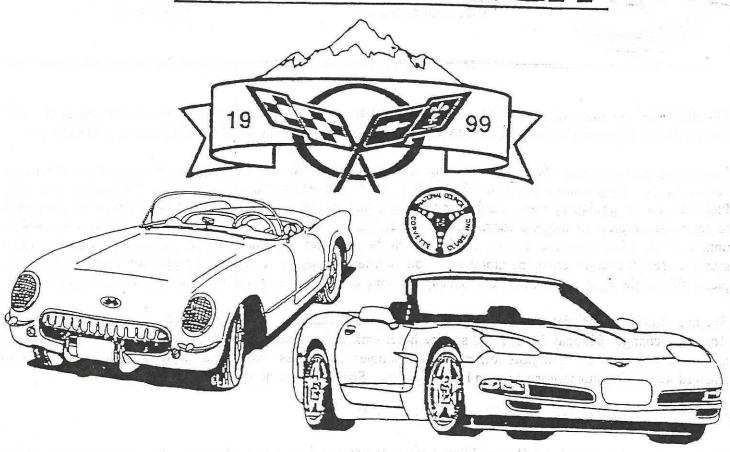
Keep the Wave

Bob Denney

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Excitement A MILE HIGH



NCCC 40TH CONVENTION

DENVER, COLORADO

HOSTED BY NCCC CLUBS OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION

JULY 24 - 30, 1999



ROCKY MOUNTAIN CLUBS NCCC CONVENTION "99"

Larry Morrison
Convention Director

Larry Odom Co-Director

The clubs and members of the Rocky Mountain Region are looking forward to your attendance at the 40th Annual NCCC Convention the week of July 24-30, 1999 in Denver, Colorado for "Excitement a Mile High".

Completing the registration form and returning it early will, as always, save you some money, and we encourage you to do so. Registration will open February 1, 1999 and postmarks will determine the amount you owe. Please fill out all applicable areas and be kind to our aging eyes by printing legibly. We will have no choice but to return incomplete or illegible forms to you for correction. Should the occasion arise, refunds are available until June 30, 1999, however a 10% surcharge will be deducted. If that becomes necessary, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope along with your written request for a refund. In addition to the registration, please fill out the hotel registration, and specify smoking or non-smoking and any special needs you may have.

The host hotel is the modern Holiday Inn Denver Southeast located in Aurora, Colorado, at the I-225 and Parker Road interchange. Holiday Inn is a full service hotel with all the amenities, and fantastic views of the mountains and the city of Denver. The hotel offers singles, doubles, and suites. We regret however, that you will not be allowed to live in your motor home on hotel property. Sorry, but the hotel has a no pets policy.

Now that you know the rules, let's play and have FUN!!!

The High Speed event will be held at Pikes Peak International Raceway in Fountain, Co, 75 miles south of the hotel. The Low Speed will be held on Lot 4 at Stapelton Airport, 15 miles north of the hotel. Bandimere Raceway, home of NHRA's Mile High Nationals, will be the site of our ¼ Mile Bracket Drags (non-record). The Concours, Rally, and Funkhana will be held at the hotel.

When the competition is done for the day, we will have a theme party every night except for Thursday, when we encourage you to explore Denver and the surrounding area on your own. Trips to the gambling towns in the mountains will be available that evening.

We are looking forward to showing off our part of this country that we are so very proud of. With all our great scenery, weather, and things to do, we will try our best to make this week a memorable experience.

"Denver in 1999" see you there.

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THE PAUL BERRY CHEVROLET

CORVETTE CLASSIC VI

CORVETTE AND CLASSIC CHEVY SHOW

Saturday, May 1st, 1999 (Rain or Shine)

Event Site: Paul Berry Chevrolet, 1800 Tarboro St., Wilson, NC Proceeds to Eastern NC School for the Deaf-Athletic Fund

Corvette Competition Sanctioned by the NCCC. NCCC Classifications Apply:

- Concours
- Modified
- Street/Show
- Race Prepared
- Wash & Show
- All Years 1953 thru 1999



Awards for: 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place in each classification. "Best of Show" and Dealer's Choice will be awarded.

- MODIFIED, OVER 4 MAJOR MODS
- CLASSIFICATION DUE TO TECHNICAL INSPECTION BY EVENT OFFICIALS
- WASH & SHOW CLASS NOT JUDGED UNDER HOOD

- CLASSIC CHEVY -

Open Class For Cars and Trucks, 1979 and Older Awards to Top 25 Entries Best of Show and "Dealer's Choice" Award

Dash Plaques

Corvette Year Model

- Food and Drink Available On Site
- Non-Participating Independent Judges
- Over Night Storage Available
- Hampton Inn Adjacent to Event Site,
 (252) 291-2323, or 1-800-426-7866 for lodging information

Liability statement: Paul Berry Chevrolet and Eastern Carolina Corvette Club will not be responsible for any accidents or damages to people or personal property

FEES	Participants - Through April 24, 1999 Participants - After April 24, 1999 Vendors - Through May 1, 1999 Formation call:	\$15.00 \$20.00 \$25.00	EVENT TIMES	Registration Participants Meeting Judging Awards Presentations	8:00 AM - 12:00 PM 12:30 PM 12:30 PM - 4:00 PM 4:30 PM
Buster	Dawson: (252) 237-8462 (Ni	ght) or Fl	etcher Bizzel	ll: (919) 658-4524 (Night)

To pre-register: Complete form for each vehicle entered and return by Apri Mail to: Buster Dawson, 4105 Sherwood Dr., Wilson, NC 27896	l 24, 1999 (Make Checks Payable To: Eastern Carolina Corvette Club)
Address	
CityState	Zip

Corvette Classification

NCCC Official Flyer

Sanction #: <u>CA365-1-008</u> , <u>CA365-2-009</u>	Type of Event: 1/4 mile Drags by Class
CA365-3-010, CA365-4-011	(non record)
Date: May 15, 1999	Club: Southern Corvette Club
Registration: Opens: 8:30am	Region: Carolina
Closes: 11:00am	
Drivers Meeting Time: 11:00am	Entry Fee: \$15.00 per event - \$50.00 all 4 events
First Car Out Time: 11:15am	Location Description: Darlington Dragway
	2056 Bobo Newsome Hwy. (Hwy.151)
	Darlington, SC track phone # (803) 332-0123
Speed Events:	ational
Exhaust: Open: X	Darlington
Closed:	Dragway
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Low:	Darlington, SC



Our annual Drag Race will be held at Darlington Dragway again this year. Hope to see everyone there. Map is on back.



Hotdogs will be served for lunch at approx. 12:30pm.



Event Cha	irman:		Gover	nor:		
Name: TB	A		Name:	Bobby Lor	nax	
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*Note: In a high-speed event all roadsters must have roll bars as outlined under Section on technical Inspection For Speed Event. It is highly recommended that all competing cars be equiped with roll bars at high-speed events. Fire extinguisher (min. 5 BC) required in all groups and classes at high-speed events.

TOP TEN REASONS

To be in Carolina in the Morning, July 3rd!

Fourth of July

South Sectional

High Speed

New Track

Low Speed

New Track

Concours

New Track

Funkhana

New Track

Fun!

New Track

Eleven Sanctioned Events!!
Two Mile Road Course!!

Pre-registration is \$130 until June 15th. \$160 for all events after June 15th. Convertible Racing (Low Speed) only \$100. Limit of 75 drivers to be observed. Send pre-registrations to:

Pete Dawley Carolina Region RCD 110 Holly Circle Lyman, SC 29365

Sanctioned Events for Sectional hosted by Southern Corvette Club of Concord, Free Wheelin' Corvettes and the Carolina Region.

- need workers.



SCHEDULE-SECTIONAL WEEKEND

FRIDAY-July 2, 1999

6:00pm-10:00pm Registration & Tech at Holiday Inn, Camden, SC (Chevys Under Glass Tech)

SATURDAY-July 3, 1999

Two Low Speed, and two High Speed events

7:00am Track opens

7:00am-7:45am Registration & Tech, grid cars for Parade Laps

7:45am-Drivers Meeting

8:00am-Parade Laps, both circuits, two laps minimum

North Circuit-Group One, One Street

South Circuit-Group Two, Three and Guests

9:00am-Beginning two lap runs on each circuit. Each driver will run twice per circuit

After lunch break, Groups report to the other circuit:

North Circuit-Group Two, Three and Guests

South Circuit-Group One, One Street

Parade Laps, both circuits, two laps minimum

Beginning two lap runs on each circuit. Each driver will run twice per circuit

(May consider additional parade laps after conclusion of events, for entire road course as it will be used on Sunday)

SUNDAY-July 4, 1999

7:00am-Track opens

7:00am-7:45am- Tech as required, grid cars for Parade Laps

7:45am-Drivers Meeting

8:00am-Parade Laps entire track, 2 laps minimum

9:00am-Begin two lap runs. Each driver will run two laps, twice.

11:00am-Lunch break to observe local ordinance

Noon- Competition resumes. Out of Region drivers will be allowed to run their second two laps, then leave, before others.

Running order-Ladies first, Group One Street, One, Two, Three & Guests

SCHEDULE-SECTIONAL WEEKEND

Notes:

Please note the requirement of having an ambulance at the track. Cost is \$100 per half hour overtime. To have additional practice Saturday, do we want to charge a fee for those drivers, or all, or not at all?

Overnite parking of camper available for a \$5 charge.

A Security Guard is available for \$9 per hour for Saturday night if we need.

Racing Fuel may be available.

A concession stand may be available.

Portable potties or better.

Any questions, or suggestions....

CAROLINA REGION NCCC TREASURER'S REPORT

1/1/99 - 3/5/99

1/1/99 - 3/5/99	
Balance last report	\$ 9,903.51
INCOME	
Bank Account Interest - 1/31/99 4.11 Bank Account Interest - 2/28/99 3.88 CCC speed events, club dues, SCCI dues 454.75 MCC speed events 367.50 GCCC, CC, CCOC dues 105.00 CUG dues 35.00 PCL dues 35.00 CCI speed events, concours 148.25	
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 1,153.49
EXPENSES	
Pete Dawley - postage, copies Reliable Racing Equipment 17.15 Jay Freeman - February Nat'l Meeting Pete Dawley - February Nat'l Meeting Nelson Hoenig - February Nat'l Meeting Spartan Custom Office Max - labels, printer cartridge Carolina Motorsports - track deposit 18S - tax exempt filing Lora Shafer - FTD awards 13.93 161.53 161.53 161.53 178.61 2,200.00 178.61 179.00 1	
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 3,254.84

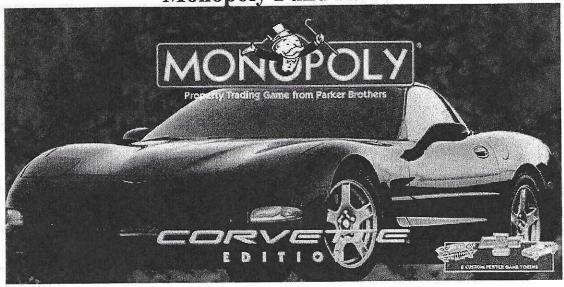
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Queen City Corvette Club

Corvette Edition

Monopoly Fund Raiser

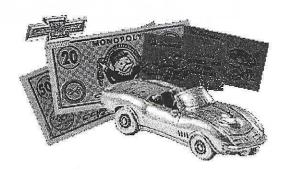


Queen City Corvette Club is having a fund-raiser selling Corvette Edition Monopoly Games for a limited time, at a discounted price of only \$30. Order yours now while supplies last!

Yes, I want to own a collectable Corvette Edition Monopoly Game! Enter my order for:

Name:		
Phone Number: ()	
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
I want to order	games @ \$ 30.ea. for a to	tal of \$

Deadline for ordering is March 31, 1999. Pick up your games at the Lowe's Motor Speedway at Charlotte during the Spring AutoFair, at the QCCC venue, near Victory Lane. Special shipping request may cost extra. Proceeds to benefit Children's Charity of QCCC's choice. Manufacturers suggested retail price is \$34.95 ea. plus shipping and handling. Monopoly and Corvette are registered trademarks of Parker Brothers and Chevrolet. Phone in orders to Jon Elliott: (704) 542-0141. Terms: advanced payment by cash or approved check, payable to: Queen City Corvette Club, P.O. Box 473072 Charlotte, NC 28247. Legible copies of this order form are acceptable.





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April 24th, 1999 let's make a big Corvette party.
1,000 Corvettes wanted for our 1st Annual Spring Fling Poker Run
East Coast Flight Craft, Inc will provide, for our enjoyment, a Corvette boat
at the enticing Lake Hartwell the first check point; total of
120 miles of the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains as Spring blossoms.
\$1,000 Grand Prize

Preregistration \$10.00. \$15.00 at the gate.

Last car out at 11:00 am, starting at Corvette only.

All profits will be donated to the National Corvette Museum!!!

April 1999

Saturday	ო	10 AutoFair	s Spring Caravan, Charleston, SC	24 Poker Run Lake Hartwell, SC	
Friday	8	9 Autofair & Monthly QCCC Meeting	16 QCCC Officer's Meeting 7:30	53	30
Thursday	-	∞	1	22	59
Wednesday		2	41	24	78
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Monday		ဖ	12	6	56
Sunday		4 Betsy Elliott Birthday	11 AutoFair	18 Al Freeman's B'day Spring Caravan, Charleston, SC	25 Newsletter Deadline

May 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					3	1 Car Show Wilson, NC
8	m	4	5 LInda Abernathy's B'day	ဖ	2	8 QCCC monthly meeting
G	10		12 Rena Freeman's B'day	13	14 Officer's Meeting 7:30	15 Drag/Darlington Bonnie Prior's B'day/ Air Show Burlington
16	17 James Weisberg B'day	18 Ron Calloway's B'day	19	20	21	22
23 Photo Rallye Greenville, SC	24 Harvey McComb's B'day	25 Festival of Lights Parade Newsletter Deadline	26	27	28 Bob Denny's B'day	29
30 Family Outing - Cane Creek Park				-		