

1996 Collector's Edition

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December 28, 1998

To my fellow QCCC members:

Happy New Year! 1998 was a great year for our club. Queen City Corvette Club celebrated it's 30th anniversary. Let's reflect on some of the QCCC achievements that were made during 1998.

- QCCC went online with www.queencitycorvette.com
- Participation in 9 different parades
- Establishment of a QCCC Post Office Box
- Christmas Tree fund raiser

Obviously there are many more accomplishments but, I think you get the picture. QCCC is on the move. We are having more fun, doing more things, membership is growing and we have surpassed the Greenville, SC club with having the largest NCCC membership in the Carolinas region. Congratulations QCCC on having a banner year in 1998!

I count it a privilege to serve as your 1999 president. I appreciate your confidence in the officers that will serve with me during the upcoming year. We have a terrific group of leaders on our 1999 Board. However, I also realize that your individual help and assistance will be needed to keep the QCCC momentum on track so we all will benefit from the progress and growth of our club. Let's continue working together on preparing our club for the new millennium.

Make plans now to attend our 1999 QCCC Awards Banquet, on January 23. If history really repeats itself, then you don't want to miss out on this evening of awards, dining, and dancing. There are more details in the social department of this newsletter issue.

Please make a note that articles for publication in the QCCC newsletter are to be submitted to Betsy Elliott by the 25th of each month. Let me encourage you to submit reports of your individual Corvette adventures. Any Corvette related news, stories of journeys taken in your Corvette or unique experiences with your Corvette that you want to share with our newsletter readers. All are welcome

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however, some may be censored. Send pictures at your own risk.

I want to take a moment to brief you on our 1998 QCCC Christmas tree fund raiser.

We ordered 114 trees, sold 111, 2 were stolen, and 1 was given to a very needy family. My personal thanks goes to Eddie Burt for leading this fund raiser to it's level of success. As a result of this effort, \$800 was raised and we also obtained names of several perspective new members. Our QCCC tree sale received some local radio time on both Magic 96.1 and 99.7 The Fox. Thanks to all that stopped by to help out and to visit with the lot workers during the slow periods. Thanks also to all of you that purchased a tree from us. We appreciate your business.

Highlights include seeing Tom Torkildsen driving off with a large tree stuffed in the back of his C-5, and Candy Lake strapping a tree on to the deck lid of her convertible.

A very special thanks to all of the volunteers that worked on the lot, helping to unload, deliver and set up trees for display. Many people come to mind that really went above and beyond their "call of duty." A HUGE THANK YOU goes out to David Carlton, Bob Denney, Allen Withington, John Meadows, Greg Andrews, Linda Ottoway, Scott Hamilton, Jane Burt, Nancy & Bob Runnion, Fred Lentz, Bonnie & Tony Prior, Harry Wolle, Don Yost, Betty & Larry Gunter, and others that I may have unintentionally overlooked. The BIGGEST THANK YOU of all goes to Richard Norcross for making arrangements that allowed us to sell our trees, rent free, on the E. Independence Blvd. lot of CAR COLLECTION.

Congratulations to Tony Thompson of Harrisburg, NC. Tony's name was selected from the 1,650 entries, as 1998 winner of our C-5 Corvette Go Cart. Tony purchased 3 tickets while visiting our QCCC venue during the spring AutoFair.

One final note of thanks to those that helped with the Christmas Day cheer at Good Ol' Days. It is heart warming to know that there are so many kind folks within our club, willing to take time during the busy holiday season, to help cheer up an orphaned child's Christmas.

May we all experience a happy, healthy, safe and prosperous 1999.

Sincerely,



Jon Elliott

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6 PM UNTIL?

January 23, 1999

- ♦ ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET
- ♦ WYNDHAM GARDENS HOTEL
- ♦ YORKMONT ROAD
- ♦ CASH BAR AVAILABLE 6 pm- DINNER 7 pm
- ♦ DOOR PRIZES /AWARDS/DANCING
- ♦ make checks payable to QCCC
- ♦ must have money in by January 9th

VP SOCIAL REPORT

**By
Nancy Runnion
841-2283**

IT'S A NEW YEAR

I am sure that everyone is looking forward to the upcoming year. The past year was great, we did a lot of fun things together, and I hope that I can carry on in the footsteps of the wonderful people who have gone before me. Wendy did a wonderful job with the Christmas party and I am sure the banquet will be equally nice. I will try hard to make it a fun year, but to do that I would like very much to have your comments and ideas. Most of the meeting places for next year have already been arranged. Meeting locations are free. Socials afterwards are optional and may have a small charge. I would like several ideas on side trips that you might like to take. Enclosed is a short questionnaire which I would appreciate you filling out and returning to me either at the next meeting or the banquet.

Also, I will be attaching to each newsletter a list of upcoming events at least two months or more in advance, along with any menus that might be appropriate for that particular meeting or event.

The membership list has been divided into four parts as indicated below. These will be the people contacting you with any pertinent information about events and meetings throughout the year.

Call Person

Bonnie Prior - 821-7250 - Abernathy through Denney

Debbie Estridge - 846-8951 - Dubman through Johnston

Caroline Lentz - 892-1780 - Koski through Solland

Linda Meadows 846-4016 - Torkildsen through Yost

Below are the next three months' meetings:

Saturday, January 9, 1999 - Meeting at Car Collection, 6201 E. Independence Blvd. and Wallace Lane (this was the location of our Christmas tree lot and is located adjacent to Rhodes Furniture). The meeting is at 6:30. Afterwards, we have reservations at Rudy Tuesdays (just down the street) for a social and dinner for those who would like to attend. The restaurant is medium priced.

Saturday, January 23, 1999 - The annual QCCC awards banquet at Wyndham Gardens.

Saturday, February 13, 1999 - Meeting at Artis & Associates' business at Crown Point - 6:30 - the call committee will be contacting you about bringing Chili or an item to go with Chili for this meeting. Also a map will be included in the February newsletter.

March 13, 1999 - Meeting at Carolina Lanes Bowling Alley in Matthews. The meeting will be at 7:30. They are giving us a special price of \$10.95 per person for pizza, drink, 2 games of bowling, and rentals. Maybe this can be the start of our first annual QCCC bowling tournament. A prize for the highest score will be given. For those of you who don't wish to bowl, I am sure we will need a cheering section for those who will be bowling for the first time in many years.

**Queen City Corvette Club
1998 Awards Banquet
Saturday, January 23, 1999
Wyndham Garden Hotel
Charlotte, NC**

Your Queen City Corvette Club will hold it's 1999 awards banquet on Saturday January 23, 1999 at the Wyndham Garden Hotel. Make your reservation today to attend a wonderful evening of dining & dancing. You may even want to make a reservation to spend the night.

Here is the Scoop:

Saturday, 1/23/99	6:00 PM	Cash Bar Opens
	7:00	Dinner Served
	8:00	Awards Presentation
	8:30-until	Dancing, Dancing, Dancing

The Wyndham Garden Hotel is located at 2600 Yorkmont Road, off of Tyvola, near the Coliseum. If you plan to spend the night, call 357-9100 to make your reservations. Ask for the Queen City Corvette Club rate.

The cost for this years dinner is only \$40 per couple/\$20 for singles. Make your checks payable to QCCC and mail to Wendy Krupowicz, 4918 Hickory Lake Lane, Matthews, NC 28105. Hurry because the **Deadline is January 9, 1999.**

Dress is Semi-Formal

Door prize and silent auction items are needed. If you or your company have anything to contribute, please give Wendy Krupowicz or Nancy Runnion a call.

Wendy	849-2218
Nancy	841-2283



QCCC SOCIAL QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Would you have any interest in a day trip and picnic at the train museum in Spencer?
Yes _____ No _____
2. Would you have any interest in a day trip to a small car museum in Black Mountain?
Yes _____ No _____
3. Would you have any interest in a four day trip to Marietta, Ohio. There is a paddle boat on the Ohio River, the Fenton Glass Company, and a three hour road course which covers 10 historic covered bridge sites. There are several other possibilities in the area.
Yes _____ No _____
4. A weekend trip to Highlands, North Carolina and a ride on the mystery train (a "Who Done It"?).
Yes _____ No _____
5. A summer picnic and party at Carrigan Farms in Mooresville. They have a quarry with swimming, repelling, large picnic area and will build us a large bon fire for cooking in the evening. There is also much more there. Approximately \$18.00 per person.
Yes _____ No _____
6. A hayride and cookout at Oak Ridge Bed and Breakfast in Mooresville (possibly October).
Yes _____ No _____
7. I am looking into Litchfield by the Sea for our next beach trip. This resort offers biking, swimming, horse back riding, golf, etc. We have a choice of several places to stay at reasonable prices. (This might be \$79-\$99).
Yes _____ No _____
Do you prefer a traditional hotel on the strip or a resort?
Yes _____ No _____
8. Our next mountain trip to Hendersonville next year has been booked for two nights, Friday and Saturday November 12 and 13. Dinner on Saturday night will be brought into the lodge and possibly breakfast again at the Grove Park Inn. If interested in attending please indicate below:
Yes _____ No _____
9. The Christmas party held at the Reed House again next year.
Yes _____ No _____

Alternative Ideas: _____

10. Any thoughts about our January 1999 banquet.

11. Attending Shatley Springs outing with the NCRS?

Yes _____ No

12. Attending Shatley Springs outing by ourselves?

Yes _____ No

Further Suggestions: _____

If you will complete this questionnaire it will give me some ideas what you want to do, keeping in mind that not every event or outing will be something everyone wants to do. Thanks in advance.

Also, remember if you are going to Bowling Green on Labor Day weekend you need to make your reservations at the Days Inn in Franklin, Kentucky. They are in Jon's name. Please indicate below if you are planning on attending. Price is \$60.00 per night.

Yes _____ No

Please return your completed questionnaire to me. Thank you! See you soon.

Nancy Runnion
841-2283



December 21, 1998

FELLOW CORVETTE LOVERS AND QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB MEMBERS

With 1998 rapidly coming to a close, I thought it only appropriate to stop for a moment and reflect on just what the club has meant to both Jane and me. We never dreamed that we would become so involved in all the club's activities; homecoming parades, autocross events, beach trips, shows, go-cart ticket sales, BBQs, Christmas tree sales, club travels, etc. All the members who participated in the many functions know the fun and joy associated with each and it is my fondest wish that more members become involved in 1999 so that they too can realize the opportunities that await, of which you only have to take advantage.

I want to express my thanks for all the support that I received during 1998 while serving as your Vice President. Admittedly, the duties of Vice President don't quite parallel those of a brain surgeon, but nevertheless, it was a lot of fun.

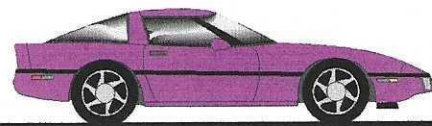
I look forward to 1999 serving as your Treasurer and want to give a big thanks to Don Yost who has made the transition go very smoothly. Don has been super and deserves the club's wholehearted thanks and appreciation for the many hours of hard work he has put in as Treasurer. The club is awful lucky to have such a person as Don as a member.

As Treasurer, I want to remind everyone that dues are \$8.00 per month and are to be paid on a quarterly basis (\$24.00) by the first business meeting of that quarter. Obviously, if someone wants to pay on either a semi-annual \$48.00 or annual \$96.00 basis, this is even better. You should make your check payable to "QCCC" and send to me at the address that follows, and if you have any questions about dues or the club's finances, just let me know. Looking forward to 1999....

Eddie Burt

Eddie L. Burt, Treasurer
251 Amanda Drive
Matthews, NC 28104
1-704-846-7130

Purple Racer Report



Happy Holidays! It's Christmas Eve as I'm writing this and the excitement around our house is thick.....hope everyone had a great...happy and safe holiday....even tho it hasn't happened yet..i want to thank everyone that helped out at Good Ole Days on Christmas day.....whether it was bringing toys and gifts or serving food and bussing tablesfrom ANDY ..JANET ...DEB & I THANK YOU.....This is what Christmas and the Queen City Corvette Club is all about ...Helping others and sharing our good fortune

Hope you noticed the cover car.....each month i'm going to spotlight a member and their car...this month's spotlight member is Scott Hamilton ... Scott...his wife Betty, and their son live in MatthewsScott retired after 26 yrs in the Marines ... although a new member of our club...Scott has jumped in with both feet...he's our incoming Vice President and has been racing and attending all the recent events...this 96 LT-4 Collector's Edition is Scott's 2nd vet...the other was a 92 coupe ...QCCC is the 3rd club Scott's been involved with (CaroVettes and Delaware Valley Corvette Club the others) and we're fortunate to have eager new members like Scott...

Besides vets...Scotts interest are Nascar, Motorcycles, computers, chess, poker, pool and ping pong (you can tell he's retired... who else has time for that many hobbies)

Look for Scott's tag W-5 Retired (his rank) at all our upcoming events and be sure and introduce yourselfif he doesn't first !

I'd like to Welcome all our incoming officers and let them know i'm looking forward to working with them all....you should show your appreciation too.....unless you've served ... you have no idea how much time and effort goes into it !

Also...starting this month QCCC is LINKED to the NCCC web page...be sure and check it out.... Bob Denney and I will be listing interesting web sites in coming issues for all you web surfers.net crawlers...and keyboard cowboys out there .. Let Bob or I know of other cool sites and we'll list them at last count .. there were over 850,000 web pages concerning corvettes ...

Til next time.....SAVE THE WAVE !!!!!

Jeff

NCCC's WEBSITE

NCCC's Mainpage

<http://www.corvettesnccc.org>

Future Corvette Owners Association

<http://www.corvettesnccc.org/fcoal.html>

NCC Convention 1999

<http://www.corvette-paradise.com/conv99.html>

REGIONS

Carolina: <http://corvettesnccc.org/caro.html>

East: <http://members.aol.com//ernccc1/ernccc.html>

East Ohio: 2 sites:

<http://corvettesnccc.org/eo.html>

<http://northshores.com/nighthawk/eor.html>

Florida: <http://corvettesnccc.org/FL.html>

Indiana: <http://corvettesnccc.org/indy.html>

Michigan: <http://corvettesnccc.org/mich.html>

Midwest: <http://corvettesnccc.org/mw.html>

Northeast: <http://corvettesnccc.org/ne.html>

Northwest: <http://corvettesnccc.org/nw.html>

Roadrunner: <http://corvettesnccc.org/rm.html>

Rocky Mountain: <http://corvettesnccc.org/rm.html>

Southeast: <http://corvettesnccc.org/se.html>

Southwest: <http://corvettesnccc.org/sw.html>

West: <http://corvettesnccc.org/west.html>

West Coast: <http://corvettesnccc.org/wc.html>

West Ohio: <http://corvettesnccc.org/woc.html>

Contact Laurie "TEX" Schwab, Webmaster
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Ruby Beauty Report



Attention

I encourage each and everyone to join NCCC. The benefits to the Club are immeasurable. As one who has spent a fair amount of time defending lawsuits, I know what it is to have someone else defend you in court. NCCC is the vehicle we have to get our liability insurance. We need your participation in NCCC to keep our insurance. If you haven't sent your check yet, just drop it in the mail to Eddie Burk.

A new year is upon us and we are going to try to give everyone as much lead time for events that we can possibly provide. As such I am including the 1999 Schedule of events and the Carolina Region Calendar. It is not too soon to start thinking about our 7 events that we propose be held at Knights Castle similar to what we did last year. These are scheduled for June 19th and 20th. Your new Governor will not be as involved with racing as your past Governor. And I probably won't be as successful getting into the top three as Bill was.... but of course I hope I won't bring my motor home in a box either. Bill you have my sympathy.

Now on to some good news.... Candy Lake raced the weekend of December 12th. She did 3 events and enjoyed herself immensely. Candy says both she and her husband Bill will be racing next year. Candy and I both encourage everybody to try slow speed racing. It is more fun than you can describe. When I first tried pilon racing I couldn't figure why I was out of breath as I decelerated.... then I realized..... my adrenaline was pumping so hard that I was getting a "high" that is hard to describe. I can only say ... try it you will like it.... We need more ladies racing. Candy says that she needs competition so she can go faster.

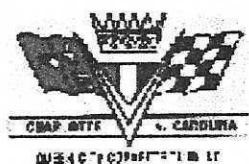
I encourage everybody to look at the Schedule of Events and pick out one of the events where you would like to participate. Not much has been mentioned about Car Shows but they are a part of the NCCC point list that Regional publishes. Most Shows have many different classes. There will be a class for which each of you can easily qualify. Car Shows are loads of fun and well worth the time and trouble. I have met many wonderful people at both the Shows as well as the Races.

I want to remind everybody that the Registration for the Spring Caravan closes on February 1st. You need to call and make your reservation at the Hotel. We have reserved a block of 55 rooms for this event. We hope that some of the neighboring Clubs will join us for what looks like a fun weekend. We have included a copy of the "Flyer" for your review. A second date you need to put on your calendar is the Labor Day Caravan to the National Corvette Museum. This looks to be a big weekend as it is the fifth anniversary of the Museum and they expect a big crowd. If it is only half as big as the Opening of the Museum it should prove to be a weekend to remember for years. During this weekend you will not meet a stranger in Bowling Green. For those of you are not aware we have blocked 15 rooms in Franklin, Kentucky. This is about 20 minutes south of Bowling Green.

Bill Johnston gave me a "Car Guys" schedule for 1999. Those of you who would like to take your car fast might take a hard look at this schedule. He also gave me the East Coast Timing Association's Schedule of events for 1999 at Laurinburg-Maston, NC. This is a high speed straight line event. If you ever wanted to see how fast your car could go in a mile this is the place to find out. The course is on a runway so it is 1.8 miles long. Plenty of space to get to speed and then shut down safely!

Check out the regional web sites.... the list is included.

Bob Denneev



Spring Caravan

April 17th & 18th



Enjoy a weekend of fun and relaxation in Charleston South Carolina.

The Choices of activities range from Carriage Rides, to Home Tours.

The Queen City Corvette Club invites you to join us in a Caravan from Charlotte, North Carolina to Charleston, South Carolina. Our Caravan will assemble at the **Carrowinds** parking lot, Exit 90 on I-77 south of Charlotte. Departure time will be 8:30 AM on April 17th. We plan to travel to the rest area at mile marker 122 on I-26 just outside of Columbia. Those who will be needing fuel can stop at Exit 119 then join the Caravan at the Rest Area. We will be stopped for approximately 1 hour to fuel and use the Rest Rooms. We will then proceed to the Mt. Pleasant Hampton Inn. Check in begins at 2:30 PM. The Hotel has reserved a parking lot for Corvettes only. We will break for lunch prior to check in. We have arranged lunches at several locations. For those that would enjoy eating aboard the Yorktown... they can handle up to 150 people.... Sticky Fingers can handle up to 50 people.... T-Bonz can handle up to 50 people. Each of these establishments expects us to make advance reservations so we will need to know your choice with your reservation. We have the opportunity to see "The Serenade Show" and eat dinner just before the Show Saturday night. The Home Tour consists of approximately 10 ante-bellum homes. Tickets are available for Saturday only. The Carriage Ride can be combined with a Harbor Cruise and Lunch on Sunday morning.

As you can see we have provided an opportunity to have a fun filled weekend.

There are so many varied things to do while in Charleston we decided that we would not establish a set program but allow everyone to choose the activities he or she wanted. This is the reason for the following menu.

Menu

Tour of the Yorktown and Lunch on Board Saturday	\$16.00 / person
Serenade and Dinner Saturday night	\$35.00 / person
Home Tour Saturday	\$35.00 / person
Carriage Ride, Harbor Tour and Lunch Sunday	\$27.00 / person

The cost for joining the Caravan is \$20.00. We have negotiated a discount of \$25.00 off the normal rate for the Hampton Inn's room rate of \$105.00. The room cost at the Hampton will be \$80.00.

Reservations must be to Queen City Corvette Club and the Hampton Inn by February 1. The Hampton will require a Credit Card guarantee or one night's deposit with the reservation. A check for \$20.00 will get you a space in the Caravan. We look forward to you joining us.

Hampton Inn 1/800-HAMPTON(423-4536) Ask for Code QCC

Spring Caravan Reservation Form

Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Year Car: _____ Color: _____

Lunch Saturday :

Lunch & Tour Yorktown: _____

Lunch @ T-Bonz: _____

Lunch @ Sticky Fingers: _____

Serenade & Dinner Saturday night: _____

Home Tour Saturday: _____

Carriage Ride, Harbor Tour and Lunch Sunday: _____

If you E Mail a picture of your Car to rddenney@clt-online.com your Name tag will include your car's picture.

HOME TOUR TICKETS MUST BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE.

Reservations for the Caravan and Hotel must be received by February 1, 1999.

Mail to:

Queen City Corvette Club

Robert Denney

112 Canopy Ct.

Mooresville, NC 28115-3197

704/662-7958



East Coast Timing Association

44 Ravenwood Drive
Fletcher, NC 28732
828-684-3009

SPEED TRIALS INFORMATION

ECTA 1999 MEMBERSHIP \$50.
Vehicle Entry fees - \$100. per Event.
Additional Pit Passes - \$5. each.

Schedule of events for 1999 at Laurinburg-Maxton, NC

**March 27, May 1, June 5 & 6,
September 25, October 30 & 31**

RULES: We are using SCTA/Bonneville rule book with only minor changes for some safety concerns. Classes are the same, car or bike, except for the addition of Circle Track and Pick-up Truck classes.

New '99 rule books will be sent out hopefully in February.

Any rule questions before then please call John at 828-684-3009.

'99 Membership Form

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

Home PHONE _____

Work PHONE _____

Fax Number _____

RACE CAR or BIKE _____

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Presidents Day special!
2.25-mile NASCAR oval / road course!
Charlotte Motor Speedway
Feb. 15-16 / \$395

Two miles of driving challenges!
Summit Point
Mar. 6-7 / July 3-4 / Nov. 20-21 / \$395
July 2 / \$195

Smooth, fast fun in Savannah!
Roebeling Road
May 1-2 / \$395

3.6-mile "12-Hour" course!
Sebring International
May 29-30 / \$450

A great NEW road course in South Carolina for 1999! Call us for details!
Carolina Motorsports Park
Aug. 7-8 / Oct. 2-3 / \$395

Legendary 3.4-mile circuit!
Watkins Glen Intl.
June 21-22 / \$395

Two tracks in one!
Jefferson Circuit
at Summit Point, WV / Sept. 11-12 / \$295

Atlanta's premier motorsports facility!
2.5-mile NASCAR oval / road course!
Atlanta Motor Speedway
Oct. 16-17 / \$395

Events Within Events
All makes and models welcome! Join the party!
Corvette-Viper Challenge / Sebring
May 29-30 / \$450

Ponies at the Point featuring Mustangs and other Ford products / SPR / July 3-4 / \$395

Pentastars at the Point with Mopar Action magazine / SPR / July 2 / \$195

Early bird specials!

Early Bird Discount good until Feb. 26. Two-day schools only.
Register for any one school by Dec. 23 for a 10% discount.

Two schools / 10% off
Three or four schools / 12.5% off
Five to seven schools / 15% off

Season Pass / \$2,500
Same price as last year—more events!

Platinum Pass / \$3,500
As above but with **DOUBLE** the driving—
up to six hours per two-day event!

Sign up for any multi-school plan by Dec. 23
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1999 Schedule of Events

Date	Sanction	Event	Location
Feb 6-7	SCCA	Driving School	Roebling Road
15-16	Car Guys	Driving School	Charlotte Motor Speedway
20-21	SCCA	Driving School	Road Atlanta
27-28	BMW CCA	Driving School	Roebling Road
March 6-7	Car Guys	Driving School	Summit Point
27	ECTA	1.8 mile Speed Trial	Laurinburg Airport
27-28	SCCA	Solo I	Talladega Grand Prix
27-28	Tack Days	Driving School	Road Atlanta
27-28	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Greater Columbia CC
April 10-11	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Chevy's Under Glass
10-11	SCCA	Driving School	Daytona
24-25	SCCA	Solo I	Beech Mountain Hill Climb
May 1	ECTA	1.8 mile Speed Trial	Laurinburg Airport
1-2	Car Guys	Driving School	Roebling Road
8-9	Track Days	Driving School	Road Atlanta
14-15	NCCC	¼ mile Drags	Darlington, SC
22-23	NCCC	High Speed	Mid Ohio
29-30	Car Guys	Driving School	Sebring (Corvette-Viper Challenge)
June 5-6	ECTA	1.8 mile Speed Trial	Laurinburg Airport
5-6	SCCA	Driving School	Moroso, FL
19-20	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	QCCC
21-22	Car Guys	Driving School	Watkins Glen Int'l
26-27	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	CC of Columbia
July 3-4	NCCC	High Speed	Carolina Motorsports Park
10-11	SCCA	Driving School	Sebring
17-18	Track Days	Driving School	Road Atlanta
Aug 7-8	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Spartanburg CC
7-8	Car Guys	Driving School	Carolina Motorsports Park
14-15	SCCA	Solo I	Road Atlanta
28-29	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Caro Vettes
Sept 4-5	NCCC	High Speed	Carolina Motorsports Park
11-12	Track Days	Driving School	Road Atlanta
11-12	SCCA	Solo I	Carolina Motorsports Park
25	ECTA	1.8 mile Speed Trial	Laurinburg Airport
Oct 2-3	Car Guys	Driving School	Carolina Motorsports Park
9-10	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Eastern Carolina CC
16-17	NCCC	Low Speed (6)	Carolina CC
16-17	Car Guys	Driving School	Atlanta Motor Speedway
23-24	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	CC of Charleston
30-31	ECTA	1.8 mile Speed Trial	Laurinburg Airport
Nov 6-7	NCCC	Low Speed (12)	Confederate CC
13-14	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Neuse River CC
20-21	SCCA	Solo I	Roebling Road
27-28	NCCC	High Speed	Roebling Road
Dec 11-12	NCCC	Low Speed (7)	Metrolina CC

1999
Carolina Region
Tentative Calendar

FEBRUARY 19th/20th	National meeting	Louisville, KY
MARCH 6th 27th/28th	Carolina Region Awards banquet Greater Columbia CC (7) Low Speed	Spartanburg, SC Site TBA
APRIL 10th/11th 17th/18th 24th/25th	Chevys Under Glass (7) Low Speed Queen City CC non-sanctioned caravan National meeting	Site TBA Site TBA Louisville, KY
MAY 1st/2nd 15th 22nd/23rd	Eastern Carolina CC Concoors Southern CC 1/4 Mile Drags Carolina Corvettes, Inc Concoors	Site TBA Darlington, SC Site TBA
JUNE 12th/13th 19th/20th 26th/27th	CaroVettes Concoors Queen City CC (7) Low Speed CC of Columbia (7) Low Speed	Site TBA Site TBA Site TBA
JULY 3rd/4th 17th-24th	South Sectional 11 Events National Convention	Kershaw, SC Denver, CO
August 7th/8th 14th/15th 28th/29th	Spartanburg CC, Inc (7) Low Speed Southern CC-Concord Concoors CaroVettes (7) Low Speed	Site TBA Site TBA Site TBA
September 4th/5th 11th/12th 25th/26th	Labor Day High Speed Invitational National meeting Confederate CC Concoors	Kershaw, SC Louisville, KY Site TBA
October 9th/10th 16th/17th 23rd/24th	Eastern Carolina CC (7) Low Speed Carolina CC, Inc (6) Low Speed CC of Charleston (7)	Site TBA Site TBA Site TBA
November 6th/7th 6th/7th 13th/14th 20th/21st 27th/28th	Confederate CC (6) Low Speed Good Times CC (6) Low Speed Neuse River CC (7) Low Speed National meeting Roebing Road (SE Region)	Site TBA Site TBA Site TBA Louisville, KY Savannah, GA
December 11th/12th	Metrolina CC (7) Low Speed	Site TBA

MINUTES

December 1998

The December 13, 1998 meeting, held at The Reid House in Matthews, was called to order by our President, Rick Witcher. Rick welcomed our members and guests.

Eddie announced that the Christmas tree sales results are now in the black. Thanks to all those members who helped man the tree lot. Have sold all but 21 trees. Eddie plans to work the lot Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (December 14-16). We have learned a lot, have met a lot of interesting people and have met several people who are interested in the Club. Thanks to Bob Runnion for setting up all of the stakes, to Richard Norcross for providing a place to sell the trees, to John Meadows who donated his trailer, to David Carlton who sold trees during the week, to Scott Hamilton, Jeff Estridge, Tony Prior, Jerry Helms, and the list goes on and on. Sorry if we have missed anyone. Thanks to all of those people who were sent over to the lot by Jon and to Allen Withington for all of his hard work. Bit thanks goes to Jane Burt. Again, we have learned a lot and could tell you lots of stories. Was very worthwhile delivering the trees too and the excitement of the children.

Bill Johnston attended the Governor's meeting on Saturday, December 12. The Bylaws were approved. Looking for people to support the National Museum. The regional banquet is set for March 6th in Spartanburg as in prior years. Rena encouraged members to attend the regional banquet as it is a good way to meet members of other clubs in the region.

Jeff thanked Eddie for all of his work with the Christmas tree sales. No one has worked harder than Eddie to make it happen. The Club has received a Christmas card from Ruth Williams. Have received a thank you card along with many thanks from individuals in connection with Garringer's homecoming parade. AutoFair is scheduled for April 8-11. Be sure to check out the NCCC website and the regional website. For those members who have children and aren't familiar with FCOA (Future Corvette Owners of America) see Jeff. The children enjoy receiving FCOA newsletters. Anyone who has time on Christmas Day come on out to Good Old Days from 5 to 8 p.m. Children from six area children's homes will be there for a Christmas meal and to receive gifts. The ages of the children are from 4 to about 14. The majority of the children are ages 7 to 11. Jeff and Debbie purchased a tree from the tree lot and donated it to Good Old Days. If you wish to donate gifts for the children you may deliver them to Good Old Days. They should be wrapped and you should indicate whether they are for a boy or girl and the age range of the gift.

Don asked if there were any questions relating to the treasurer's report distributed earlier in the meeting. Does not include figures from Christmas tree sales. Five members have paid their dues for 1999. Officers should make note of that when planning for banquet. Has t-shirts and caps available. Sweatshirts and Club jackets must be ordered.

44 Queen City members have paid their dues. That puts us just at the 51% level required in order for the Club to be an NCCC member club. Jeff encouraged everyone to become an NCCC member as NCCC provides our liability insurance.

Wendy welcomed everyone to the Reid House. The banquet is scheduled for January 23rd. A block of rooms has been reserved at the Wyndham Gardens Hotel. Reservations must be made by December 23rd. Cost for the banquet is \$40/couple or \$20/single. Hope everyone will come. Club pictures are here. We can still place orders for additional pictures. Today is Linda Meadows' birthday and the Club joined in wishing Linda a happy birthday.

Jane Burt asked that if you have money or ticket stubs for the go-kart to be sure to turn them in to her tonight as the drawing will be held tonight.

Rick welcomed our guests who introduced themselves to the members.

Nancy Runnion indicated that Richard Norcross will host our January meeting at his facility and for those who are interested in dinner afterwards we would be going to Ruby Tuesday on Independence. Our February meeting will be held at Gary Artis's office.

Charlie Brackett, guest of Gina Padgett, drew winning ticket for the go-kart. The winner was Tony Thompson of Harrisburg, North Carolina. A call was placed to Tony's home and a message was left on his answering machine congratulating him for being the winner.

Rick inquired whether there was any new or old business to discuss. Please keep Sandy Welch and her daughter who is very ill in your thoughts and prayers.

There being no further business, upon motion made and duly seconded the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry Witcher
Secretary

QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB INVENTORY
DECEMBER 21, 1998

1. 4 club signs for parade cars
2. ✓1 Speedway Childrens Charity sign
3. ✓1 Coca-Cola "Win Go Kart" sign
4. ✓1 Christmas tree sale sign
5. ✓1 club/NCCC banner
6. ✓1.25 package of napkins
- APR 7. ✓1 package "foil sheets"
8. ✓1 box plastic trash bags
- DEL 9. 1 box napkins
- 8 10. ✓1 clip boards
- 4 11. ✓3 boxes of sunglasses
12. ✓approximately 25 "do not touch" car signs
13. 1 First Union money deposit pouch
14. ✓1 dozen ink pens
15. ✓1 box of color coding labels
16. ✓1 assortment of "Speedway Childrens Charity" pamphlets
17. ✓1 go-cart stand
18. ✓3 large plaques
19. ✓3 small plaques
20. ✓6 packs of buttons (2 1st, 2 2nd, 2 3rd)
21. ✓1 trophy
22. ✓1 box of pens, tape, tickets, chalk, tri highlighters
- DEL 23. 1 bag of oil dry - 40 lbs
24. ✓3 BFGoodrich banners: 1 start, 1 finish, 1 registration
25. ✓1 QCCC banner
26. ✓1 spool of timing equipment wire
27. ✓2 push brooms
28. ✓11 yellow flags
29. ✓23 red flags
30. ✓3 tubs of chalk
- 2 31. ✓4 bottles of white shoe polish
32. ✓9 orange safety vests
33. ✓3 red, white, & blue flag streamers
34. ✓1 BF Goodrich white/orange streamers
35. ✓1 rope (for banners)
36. ✓2 camera tripods
37. ✓3 fire extinguishers
38. ✓2 battery/light stands
39. ✓1 timer with timing equipment
40. ✓1 box of car numbers
41. ✓1 green tub - historical records
42. ✓1 rubber hammer
43. ✓1 blackboard
44. ✓1 event results board
45. ✓1 easel stand
46. ✓171 cones

Eddie Burt
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Vice President

QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB
TREASURY REPORT
DECEMBER 23, 1998

Bank Account Balance
December 12, 1998 8,829.30

INCOME

Club dues	96.00	
Club jacket sales	144.06	
Club shirt sales	115.00	
Club hat sales	20.00	
Club picture sales	92.00	
Christmas tree sales	1,170.00	
Go kart ticket sales	159.00	
NCCC dues collected	70.00	
January awards banquet tickets	40.00	
TOTAL	1,906.06	1,906.06

EXPENSES


Dec. club mtg - cake & ornaments	80.00	
Dec. club mtg - food, linens, etc.	207.79	
Club picture enlargements	76.74	
Rental agmt for June 1999 club meeting at Latta Plantation	65.00	
Spina Bifida donation	800.00	
Christmas tree purchase	2,938.50	
NCCC member dues	140.00	
TOTAL	4,308.03	4,308.03

Bank Account Balance
December 23, 1998 6,427.33

ESCROWED EXPENSES

NCCC - Kidney Foundation	119.00	
QCCC - Childrens Charities	600.00	
TOTAL	719.00	719.00

Club Treasury Balance
December 23, 1998 5,708.33


Eddie L. Burt, Treasurer
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January 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 New Year's Day	2
3	4 CARLETTE CALLOWAY'S B'DAY	5	6	7	8	9 QCCC MEETING 6:30 RSVP TO BANQUET
10	11	12	13	14	15 Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday	16
17	18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	19	20	21	22	23 AWARDS BANQUET 6:00
24	25 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE JAY FREEMAN'S B'DAY	26	27	28	29	30 MARY ANN CHILUCK'S B'DAY
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February 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 RSVP SPRING CARAVAN	2 DON YOST'S B'DAY	3	4 JOHN BAYNE'S B'DAY	5	6
7	8	9 ART CHILUCK'S B'DAY	10	11	12 Lincoln's Birthday	13 QCCC MEETING 6:30
14 St. Valentine's Day	15 MELVIN RACE'S B'DAY Washington's Birthday Observed	16	17 RICK WITCHER'S B'DAY Ash Wednesday	18	19	20
21	22 LAE ABERNATHY'S B'DAY Washington's Birthday Traditional	23	24	25 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	26 GREG FINNICAN'S B'DAY	27
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