

# QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB INC.

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LIFE IS WHAT YOU MAKE IT,

SO MAKE IT FUN!

### 1991 OFFICERS

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### QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB JANUARY BUSINESS MEETING

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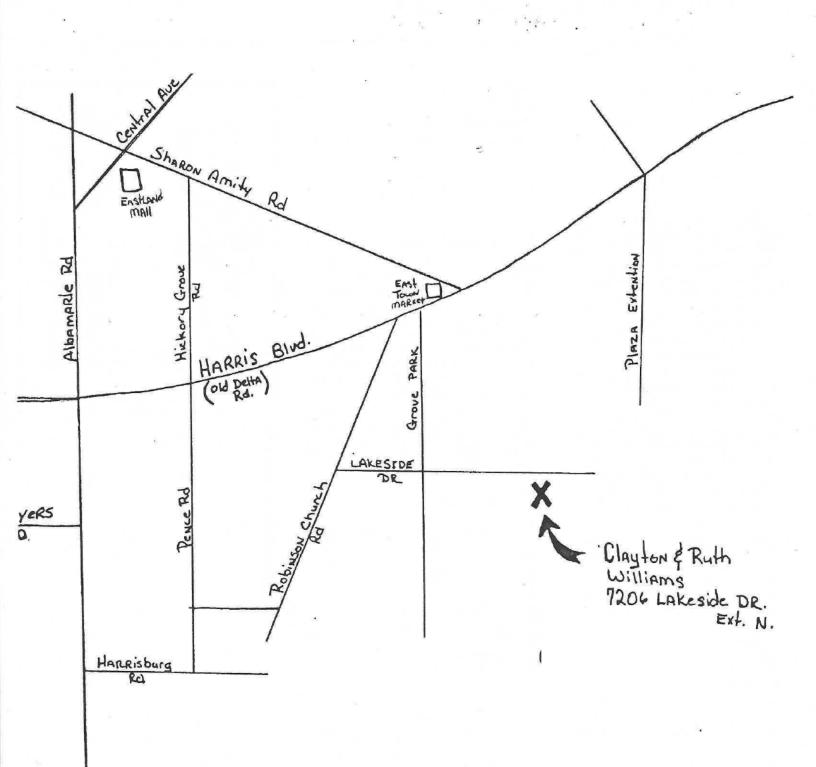
February 8, 1991

TIME:

7:30 P.M.

PLACE:

Clayton and Ruth Williams Corvette Condo 7206 Lakeside Dr. Ext. N.



You may be interested in the article below. One of our members spotted it in a Vette Magazine.

Congratulations Don on having a son with such sentiments. Thank you, Clayton for bringing it to our attention.

I have been described as a "Lurker", so this month I will lurk instead of boring you with words.

Hope to see everyone at the meeting on our new meeting night.

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t was every high school senior's second favorite fantasy: My father brought home a pristine 1961 Corvette. It was white with a built 327. It saw homecoming, victory parades, the prom, an occasional date and graduation night. My father started me on my appreciation of these fine automobiles, and Corvettes drew us much closer.

I ventured off to college the next four years and became more intrigued by Vettes. I was also surprised to find out how much my father was learning about the cars while I was away. During Thanksgiving break of my junior year, we went down to the local Corvette shop. I thought it was just to locate some parts for his toy.

As we gawked at all the lovely machines undergoing restoration, my dad asked what I thought about a particular '63 roadster. In its condition at the time, it was nothing to behold: mostly primer, seats out to be re-covered, triple taillights, a white "ragged out" soft top and no front carpet.

However, upon closer inspection, I saw, as he had, a diamond in the rough. The car was an original three-owner, 41,000-mile, 2-top, saddle on saddle leather, with power steering, brakes and windows, and Powerglide: an early '63 jewel. It even had the original 300-horsepower motor with all the shielding.

I told my father that with a little work, this car could be returned to mint condition. He was glad to hear I liked it because it was my college graduation present. To describe me as speechless would be a vast understatement! Thanksgiving took on a whole new meaning for me. There was only one stipulation: I couldn't have the keys until after graduation. Now there's incentive.

That was more than eight years ago. Since then, I have gotten married and received two advanced college degrees, and my '63 roadster still resides with me.

The Corvette mystique has brought my father and me even closer together, although we now live farther apart. We are best friends and try to attend at least one major Corvette function every year, a kind of fatherand-son reunion.

The paint is starting to get old, but it is still a Second Flight car. People often ask what it would take for me to sell it?

"How could I sell a gift of love that came from my father's heart?"

Thanks, Dad.

Douglas L. Yost Lawrence, Kan.



"Sooooo...What's your favorite car?"

Fellow Vetters,

Thanks to all of you who voted for me for Rookie of the Year and Male Competitor of the Year. It was an honor to be presented these awards as well as a vote of confidence for me. I will always be grateful for the opportunity to compete and have fun with my fellow vetters. Thanks to all of you who made my year a success.

Please notice a reprint of the Club Points. Item #6 Sanctioned Events (per event); the change is to (per day). This change was presented to the officers by myself in an effort to balance the opportunities for club members' participation. If you drive in one event, work in one event, or just show up to support your club for one event, you will have the same opportunity for adding to those valuable year-end points.

Speaking of opportunities, February shows itself to be an opportunity for fun, fellowship and <u>yes</u>, even points.

- FUN - - Regional Banquet Greenville Spartanburg Airport
  Marriott. February 9, 1991. Happy Hour starts at 6:00
  p.m. followed by a scrumptious dinner, presentation of awards and Live entertainment.
- FELLOWSHIP World of Wheels Car Show February 15-17,
  Charlotte Convention Center. This is a unique opportunity for all of us to make an effort to help those a lot less fortunate than ourselves. We can show off our cars, as well as our hearts by showing up for Spina Bifida.
- "POINTS" - Points for cars and points for ticket sellers. Don't miss out you "Crazy Eighter's," whoever you are.

Don't you miss out on all the club spirit building around you. Be an active part of Queen City Corvette Club and let the excitement carry you to new roads of enjoyment.

# HATHCOCK'S

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The "CRAZY EIGHT CLUB". That's right points fan's. Eight of Queen City's Top points chaser's will be reconized at our next Award's Banquet 1991.

Eight men and eight women who have shown the most enthusiasm by participating in as many club envents as possible will be awarded for their efforts.

# Points as follows;

announced ahead of time.

	1.	Drive your corvette to a club meeting.			pts.
	2.	Attend an official meeting.			pts.
	3.	Chair a social (1 per Member, per year)		i	pts.
	4.	Attend a social.	5		pts.
	5.	Attend parades or homecomings.	5		pts.
	6.	Sanctioned events. (per day)	4		pts.
	7.	Work a position at an event for an entire event.	3		pts.
	8.	Show up in support of your club at an event. (2 hr. minimum)			pts.
	9.	Drive your corvette to a planned 1-day or weekend excursion, a distance of at least 60 miles from down town Charlotte. (2 per. car)	8		pts.
1	0.	Attend the same event as #9 but without the corvette.	5	0	pts.

As special opportunities arise, special points will be considered and

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JUST A REMINDER THAT THE CAROLINA REGIONAL AWARDS BANQUET WILL BE HELD FEBRUARY 9,1991, AT THE GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG AIRPORT MARRIOTT. THE GOVERNOR'S MEETING WILL START AT 2:00 PM FOR ANYONE WHO WISHES TO ATTEND. PLEASE MAKE YOUR OWN ROOM RESERVATIONS BY CALLING 1-800-228-9290. BE SURE AND MENTION NCCC BANQUET WHEN MAKING YOUR RESERVATIONS. A FUN TIME WILL BE HAD BY ALL!!!

THE FIRST NCCC GOVERNOR'S MEETING OF 1991 WILL BE MARCH 1&2 IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO GO TO NASHVILLE PLEASE CONTACT BETTY AT 553-2348 OR 542-6737. WE NEED TO MAKE OUR ROOM RESERVATIONS SOON.

TIME;

7:00 P.M.

DINNER

8:00 P.M.

AWARDS

9:00 P.M.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

PLACE: GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG AIRPORT

MARRIOTT

ONE PARKWAY EAST

GREENVILLE, S.C.

### DINNER MENU:

Garden Green Salad Pasta Salad Fresh Fruit Salad Chicken Cordon Bleu London Broil Bordelaise Seafood Newburg Rice, Potato Two Fresh Seasonal Vegetables Rolls and Butter Assorted Desserts Tea, Coffee

COST:

\$10.00

NCCC MEMBER

\$15.00 NON-NCCC MEMBER

Free Beer and Soft Drinks Cash Bar will be available

Hospitality Room will be provided by Spartanburg Corvette Club beginning at

### ENTERTAINMENT:

Hello again! It was good seeing everyone at the QCCC banquet. From the looks of things, everyone had a great time.

It's almost time for the NCCC Regional Banquet, which will be on Saturday, February 9, at the Greenville-Spartanburg Airport Marriott.

The World of Wheels Car Show will be February 15, 16 and 17 at the Charlotte Convention Center. All the important information is in Craig's update in this newsletter. On Saturday night, for the QCCC members who are coming to the show to sell tickets, have their cars in the show, or just to come look at the cars, we are planning to walk to one of the restaurants uptown to eat, drink and have a good time. The closest thing I have come up with is Fat Tuesday's, which is in Cityfair. They're open until 1 a.m. in the morning, which should give everyone a chance to get their fill (I hear they have several delicious frozen drinks there)! They have New Orleans style food and appetizers. If anyone can think of a place they'd rather go, please let me know.

That's all I have for now, except for my quotes of the month:

From birth to age 18, a girl needs good parents, from 18 to 35 she needs good looks, from 35 to 55 she needs a good personality, and from 55 on she needs cash.

Sophie Tucker

It is morally wrong to allow suckers to keep their money.

"Canada Bill" Jones

All this fuss about sleeping together. For physical pleasure I'd sooner go to my dentist any day.

**Evelyn Waugh** 

Somewhere on this globe, every 10 seconds, there is a woman giving birth to a child. She must be found and stopped.

Sam Levenson

Candy

# WORLD OF WHEELS

### CUSTOM CAR SHOW

When: Feb. 15, 16, & 17 Where: Charlotte Civic Center

We need cars to be on display and people to participate in selling raffle tickets for the Spina Bifida Corvette.

This is a club event with proceeds going to Spina Bifida. (We receive \$10.00 for each car on display.)

Set up time will be Wed. night or Thurs. In the past, the Wed. night has worked well for most of us. More details will follow, as I work them out with the Promoter.

This event has always been a success. IT IS a fun week-end. IT IS a hard working week-end. IT IS an opportunity for Queen City Corvette Club to show it's "STUFF" to car enthusiasts in our area.

I will answer all questions at the Feb. Meeting or call me at my home.

### WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB!?

To offer Corvette owners an organization to promote and e njoy their plastics beauties by participation in competition, social events, and sponsor national and local efforts for charitable organizations. (Spina Bifida is NCCC's and QCCC's cause presently.) Our club has some of the finest people in Charlotte, and surrounding areas and is a part of the national organization, the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC).

I am proud to be an officer again to this organization. I hope for a safe and exciting year ahead.

Craig Laufer Vice President/Public Relations

### JANUARY 12, 1991, MINUTES

### QUEEN CITY CORVETTE CLUB MEETING

The President called the meeting to order, and the roll was called. There were 36 members present.

The Vice President asked if everyone understood his new points system. He also asked for a show of hands regarding who drove their Corvette to the meeting.

The Secretary apologized to the club for not including the January birthdays on the January calendar, but wished all January birthdays a <u>Happy Birthday</u>.

The Vice President of Social gave her report on the upcoming club awards banquet. She is working on some ideas for some club socials in the near future. She also reminded the club about the Regional Awards Banquet to be held on February 9 in Greenville, SC. Your money for the Regional Banquet must be paid in advance to be able to attend.

The Treasurer informed us that first quarter dues are now due. She also reminded us that our 1990 dues had to be paid through the end of the year in order to attend the club banquet. As of this meeting, the treasury had a balance of \$4,996.75.

The Convention Director was called on the see if he had anything he needed to bring before the club. A convention meeting was scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Friday, January 25, 1991, at Coley-Jordan Firestone on South Boulevard.

OLD BUSINESS: The tabled motion on Spina Bifida was brought up, but it was decided that it had to be left on the table and not voted on because the person who made the original motion was not present at this meeting.

NEW BUSINESS: Ricky Hathcock read his proposed new bylaw regarding no drinking of alcohol during the club meeting. We had a lot of discussion on it before it came to a vote. Once voted on, it did not get a two-thirds vote of the members present; therefore, it did not pass.

Rena Freeman then read her proposed bylaw change regarding the day and time the club meetings are to be held. There was a brief discussion on the reasons for the proposed change. When it came to a vote, it was passed with more than two-thirds of the members present voting for the change. Therefore, the club meetings will now be held on the second Friday night of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

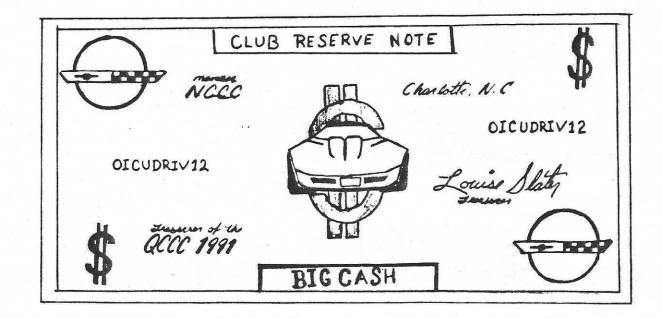
Rena Freeman, Secretary

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### CHARLOTTE, N. C.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

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	Club dues	•	480.00	
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	Banquet guest fees		25.00	
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	Club awards		800.64	
	Sheraton - QCCC Banquet	1	,337.36	
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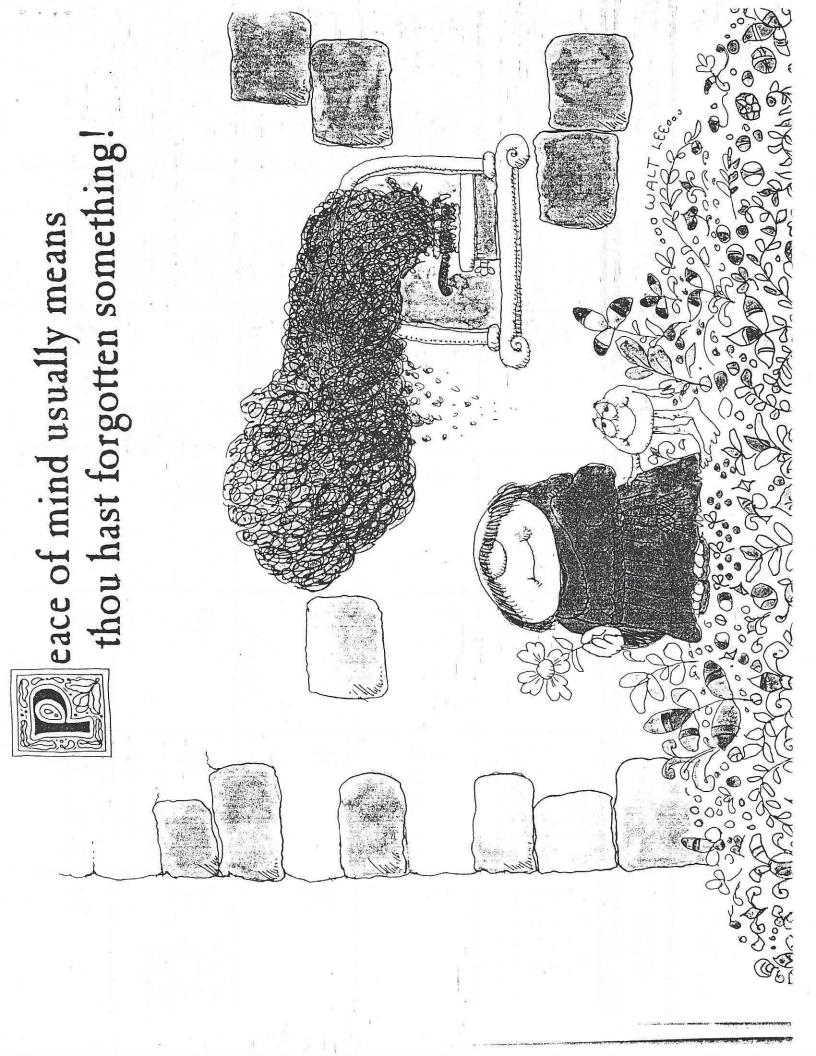
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TO ALL THE MEMBERS BORN IN THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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