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# The Official Newsletter of the Sunburst Corvette Club June 2021







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Please Remember,
All articles, pictures, ads, & flyers are due
the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month.



### SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB

#### **MEETINGS**

\*1st Thursday of every month except January at Galati's Hideaway 800 Feinberg Gt. Cary, IL 847-516-3663

\*Our monthly membership meetings will continue to be held virtually via Zoom until Illinois allows groups of more than 50 to gather.



#### MISSION

Engage: With a fun inviting social club for fellowship and participation through meetings, activities and events to encourage continued support of Corvette culture and ownership.

Participate: In a forum of education and learning for the enjoyment, driving experience, restoration and sharing of Corvette history.

**Share:** In collaboration of club members and community partners through volunteerism and charitable support to provide impactful philanthropic giving to benefit the communities we interact with.

#### VISION

To provide an engaging and lasting influence with whatever we do, whomever we meet, and wherever we go as a club for the continued preservation of the Corvette legacy.

#### VALUES

Exhibiting the utmost integrity while having fun through education and philanthropy with diverse fellowship and collaboration including club members and community partnerships.



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Governor – Mike Stevens

Sunburst Corvette Club is a member of the National Council of Corvette Cubs
For more information on the NCCC on upcoming sanctioned events contact
Mike Stevens at

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Vice-President Loren Doppelt











Membership Renewal Effective 1.1.21 thru 12.31.21

Single: \$49.00 Couple: \$67.00 New Member

Single: \$67.00 Couple \$90.00



Sunburst Corvette Club is a member of the National Corvette Museum

For more information on the NCM contact Scott Schulz at ncmambassador@sunburstcorvetteclub.com



## **Message from The President**

June is here and it looks very much like summer is on its way. COVID-19 numbers are down, and many events & activities are starting to show up on the calendars.

Woodstock Memorial Day Parade to honor veterans was our first event of the year. It is a great way to start the season and we are always happy to be included.

As you know, we have had our membership and board meetings virtually for the past year and this has worked out very well, while the state has been basically closed. We are looking forward to starting up our in-person membership meetings in July. We will continue to offer the meetings on ZOOM as well for those that are not ready to meet in a group. The June Membership meeting will be via ZOOM, but the June Board Meeting will be in-person for Board Members and Committee Chairs with ZOOM being offered for everyone else.

We have several trips and events on the Sunburst Calendar, including a Cruise Night at the Moose in McHenry on June 15<sup>th</sup> and the Crystal Lake 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. Later this summer we have Autocross events and of course, the Sunburst Car Show in September. Check out the Sunburst Events Calendar on the website for additional events.

One of our sponsors, Jarid Brockman "Edward Jones" has graciously provided the \$200 entry fee for Sunburst to participate in the Algonquin Founders Day Parade on Saturday, July 24th. We are looking for a member to coordinate this event. If interested, please contact myself or Mike Moushey for more details. It is a fun event, and our corvettes are always a crowd pleaser.

Let's not forget to wish our Sunburst Dads a Happy Father's Day!

We will see you soon!!

Save the Wave!

Dee Rosendahl







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## **Message from The Governor**

Governor Mike Stevens

Greeting Fellow Sunburst Members,

June 2021

I am really tickled to spread the news that the Midwest Region competition season is off and running for 2021. As of this writing, the region has seen two autocross events, a People's Choice Car Show and a rally. We're already way ahead of last year's dismal competition season.

I had the opportunity to participate in the two autocross events, both held in Rantoul, IL., at the old Chanute Air Force base. These were the first autocross events for my 2017 Grand Sport. It took a little while to get the feel of the car and Its capabilities, but I really felt the difference from my 2012 GS. **Jim and Joanni Downing joined Pat and I** at the second event. There is a three day event on Memorial Day weekend, back in Rantoul. I plan on racing on Saturday and would love to have some company to watch or race.

June will be a slow month for regional competition, because no events are scheduled during the NCCC convention being held in Cleveland. On June 5<sup>th</sup> there are rallies in LaCrosse, WI, and on June 6<sup>th</sup> rallies in New Berlin WI. The month ends with a Car Show, sponsored by Windy City Vettes, in Tinley Park on June 27. So it's time to fill the weekends with Sunburst events. Don't wait for some one else to plan something, get your act together and put together an event for our Club.

**Mike Moushey** and I are forging ahead with our plans for Sunburst to host a two-day autocross event at McHenry County College on August 7 & 8. This event has the potential to raise some needed dollars for our designated charities. In order to pull this event off, we will need the help of a number of Sunburst members. We will need volunteers to help set up the registration area, park cars, stage the racers, start the racers, and most importantly corner workers. **Mike Moushey** will have a sign up sheet for the June July and August membership meetings and will be able to describe the duties. We'll have time slots in 4 hour shifts, so you won't have to devote an entire day, unless you really want to. We really need to make this a club effort to be successful.

Our autocross events, in August, will also give Sunburst members a chance to try out this activity without traveling distances or spending a lot of money. We have also provided people with the opportunity to register for one, two or three events, rather than a whole day (7 events) of racing. Sunburst also has a few "loaner" helmets for use. These helmets meet current NCCC standards and members will be able to use them for free. For those, still too timid to drive in an autocross, we will be able to allow passengers in the cars, with a few restrictions. **COME ON OUT AND GIVE IT A TRY.** 

Enjoy the warm weather with your Corvette and give some of the Regional events a try. You'd be surprised how much fun you can have and how many great people you can meet.







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### **Sunburst Event**



JOIN THE SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB AT THE

## CRYSTAL LAKE INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE SUNDAY, JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> (WE ARE LIMITED TO 10 CARS)

10:OOAM - MEET AT STARBUCKS IN CRYSTAL LAKE ON RTE 14

> 10:30AM - DRIVE TO THE STAGING AREA IN DOWNTOWN CL IN WONDER LAKE



1:00PM - PARADE STEPS OFF NO TOSSING OF CANDY FROM CARS

> 3:00 PM- OPEN TO SUGGESTIONS

SIGN UP AT THE MAY OR JUNE MEMBERSHIP MEETING. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: MIKE STEVENS 847-277-9302

#### **Corvette Powered Exhibit Coming To NCM**

There is a new exhibit at the NCM starting Memorial Day weekend showcasing vehicles, specifically mid-century non-General Motors/non-Corvette vehicles, that utilized Corvette engines and drivelines called Corvette Powered.



At a time when America's automotive industry was lacking, the small-block Chevy V8 engine changed everything. It was quickly discovered that other engines could not compete with Chevrolet's engineering of the Corvette engine. As a result, some manufacturers, rather than developing their own engine, approached Chevrolet and purchased Corvette engines or drivelines for their cars.

The use of Chevy's small-block engine within both American and European sports cars and GT cars was seemingly the answer to the problem. To honor their use of Corvette engines, the exhibit will feature a 1977 Avanti II and a 1966 Excalibur.

From European and American sports cars to boats and motorcycles, the Corvette engine has powered more than just Corvettes over time. As explained by Director of Collections/Curator, Derek E. Moore, "this exhibit shares a piece of Corvette history and explores the stories of unique vehicles and their use of Corvette engines."

Other vehicles to see in the exhibit include a 1958 Scarab, 1967 Bizzarrini Strada, 1965 Impala built by Chip Foose, 1969 Mangusta, and more. Visitors will be able to enjoy the Corvette Powered exhibit through Bash of 2022.







NCM Ambassador Scott Schulz

#### **Corvette to Pace the Indy 500**

May 30, 2021, at the 105th Indianapolis 500, a 2021 mid-engine Chevrolet Corvette Stingray Hardtop Convertible will lead the 33-car field to the green flag. This 2021 Corvette will be the first convertible to pace the Indy 500 since 2008. This is not the first time Chevrolet or Corvette has led the field. The 2021 Indy 500 will be the 32nd time for Chevrolet to lead the field and the 18th time for Corvette. In fact, this is the second year in a row for a mid-engine Corvette Stingray to serve as the pace car.

This 2021 Corvette Stingray Convertible has an Arctic White exterior and a complementary interior with Sky Cool Gray and Strike Yellow upholstery. The exterior of the Corvette has been festively adorned with decals for the race. These additions include Indy 500 logos, yellow and gray stripes, special Stingray decals, and more.

Corvette engineers integrated four taillights into the tonneau cover nacelles. Strobe lighting has also been placed in the headlights, front louvers, and taillights. The Stingray convertible's design was inspired by fighter jets. The aerodynamically shaped nacelles work to decrease air circulation within the cabin and deliver a unique profile. Along with racing harnesses and emergency lights, the 2021 Corvette Stingray Convertible also is equipped with the Z51 package. This allows the Corvette a top speed over 180 mph, but the pace car only needs to reach 130 mph at the race. At this year's Indianapolis 500, Chevrolet is putting their best on display for the fans. Read more on the pace car at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway website by following this link 2021 Corvette Pace Car.









### 2021 NCM 27th Anniversary Celebration Thursday September 2nd – Saturday September 4th

#### **Upcoming Museum Events & Events On-Site at the Museum**

#### May

•MiM 2021 9-Day Caribbean Cruise | May 14 – May 23

#### June

•MiM Branson Experience | June 1 - 5

#### July

- •BG Thunderfest @ National Corvette Museum | Jul 3
- •MiM Colorado Springs | July 11 15

#### Aug

•Le Mans Race Weekend Viewing Party | August 21 - 22

#### Sep

- •27th Anniversary Celebration National Corvette Museum | Sep 2 Sep 4
- •MiM National Parks Tour | Sep 19
- •MiM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (1) | Sep 27 Oct 2

#### Oct

- •MiM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (2) | Oct 4 9
- •MiM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (3) | Oct 18 23
- •MiM 1-Lap of Kentucky Tour (4) | Oct 18 23

#### Nov

Vets 'n Vettes presented by Mobil 1 – National Corvette Museum | Nov 4

<u>MiM</u> = Museum in Motion event. The Museum in Motion events combine the fun of driving, socializing with other Corvette enthusiasts, sightseeing and visiting unique places – including many V.I.P. and behind the scenes opportunities that only the Museum can get you.)

View a complete list of events with more information and links to register on our the <u>NCM</u> <u>Events Website here</u> (https://www.corvettemuseum.org/explore/events/).





NCM Ambassador Scott Schulz

#### **NCM Motorsports Park**

Have a need for SPEED? The NCM Motorsports Park is located less than two miles from the Museum and offers the chance for you to ride in a Corvette, drive your car on the road course for a lap, participate in a high-performance driving school and/or spectate at one of many motorsports events going on throughout the season. <a href="NCM Motorsports Park">NCM Motorsports Park</a> | NCM Motorsports Park

#### **Corvette Experience**

Ever dreamed of driving America's Sports Car on a race track? Now you can with the Corvette Experience at the NCM Motorsports Park! Get behind the wheel of a C8 Corvette Stingray Z51 laps around our 3.2 miles, 23 turns road course, built for speed! The Corvette Experience gives you a combination of classroom instruction and hands-on practice on the track in a lead/follow format. It also includes lunch and a guided VIP tour of the National Corvette Museum.





View a complete list of NCM Motorsports Park events here (Motorsports Park Event Schedule)

#### **NCM Corvette Raffle**

Want to try your luck at winning a new C8? Currently the NCM has three active raffles. Visit the Raffle website at this interactive link <u>Corvette Raffle - Main Page</u> (<u>corvettemuseum.org</u>). All proceeds from the raffles go to support the NCM.

Tickets can be purchased at the museum, online if you are located in Kentucky, or downloading a form from the NC website and sending the completed form to the NCM. You do not have to be a resident of Kentucky to participate.



#### 2021 Torch Red Corvette Convertible 6/10/2021



Z51 Performance Package including Z51 Brembo Antilock Brakes, Z51 Rear Spoiler, Electronic Limited-Slip Differential, Michelin Pilot Sport 4S High Performance Run-Flat Summer-Only Tires and Heavy Duty Cooling System, Z51 Performance Suspension with Magnetic Selective Ride Control, 8-speed Dual Clutch Transmission includes Manual and Auto Modes, Performance Exhaust with Aggressive Exhaust Sound, 5-Open Spoke Carbon Flash-Painted Aluminum Wheels with Machined Edge, Bright Red-Painted Calipers, 2LT Equipment Group with Jet Black Leather Interior including GT2 Bucket Seats, Bose Audio Performance Series Sound System, Performance Data and Video Recorder, Universal Home Remote, Front Lift Adjustable Height with Memory, Carbon Flash-Painted Nacelles and Convertible Roof, Carbon Flash Exterior Side Vents and Front/Rear Accents, Carbon Flash Exterior Badge Package, Carbon Flash-Painted Outside Mirrors & Spoiler, HD Front and Rear Vision Cameras, Battery Protection Package. For full details visit the website.

Z51 Performance Package including Larger Brake Rotors, Rear Spoiler, and Performance Tires, Magnetic Selective Ride Control, 8-speed Dual Clutch Transmission includes Manual and Auto Modes. Performance Exhaust with Aggressive Exhaust Sound, 5-Open Spoke Carbon Flash-Painted Aluminum Wheels with Machined Edge, Bright Red-Painted Calipers, 2LT Equipment Group with Adrenaline Red Leather Interior including GT2 Bucket Seats, Bose Audio Performance Series Sound System, Performance Data and Video Recorder, and Universal Home Remote, Body-Color Dual Roof Package with Transparent Roof Panel and Storage Bag, Front Lift Adjustable Height with Memory, Carbon Flash Exterior Side Vents and Front/Rear Accents, Carbon Flash Exterior Badge Package, Carbon Flash-Painted Outside Mirrors, Engine Appearance Package, HD Front and Rear Vision Cameras, Battery Protection Package.



#### 2021 Torch Red Corvette Coupe 9/4/2021



Performance Exhaust with Aggressive Exhaust Sound, 5-Open Spoke Carbon Flash-Painted Aluminum Wheels with Machined Edge, Bright Red-Painted Calipers, 2LT Equipment Group with Jet Black leather interior including GT2 Bucket Seats, Body-Color Removable Roof Panel, Carbon Flash Side Vents and Front/Rear accents, Engine Appearance Package, Front Lift Adjustable Height with Memory, HD Front and Rear Vision Cameras, Carbon Flash Exterior Badge Package, Battery Protection Package, Front License Plate Bracket.

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## **Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes**

Secretary Marilyn Roberts

## Sunburst Corvette Club General Membership Meeting Minutes- 05/06/2021

#### **Opening**

- •President Dee Rosendahl called the meeting to order via meeting via Zoom Teleconference at 7:00pm
- •Motion was made from the Members to approved minutes from Membership meeting dated 04/01/2021 motions were made, and they were approved
- •Welcome new members No new members this meeting
- No new Corvette arrivals

#### **Officer Reports**

**President – Dee Rosendahl** – Nothing to report

**Vice President - Loren Doppelt** – Loren mentioned he just returned from the Ron Fellows Driving School, highly recommended it to the members. He drove the Ron Fellows car and went airborne, lifted the front end off the ground, he really enjoyed it.

**Treasurer – Lee Thorson** – Financials are in good standing.

Secretary - Marilyn Roberts - Nothing to report

**Governor – Mike Stevens** – Mike mentioned the Governors met a couple of weeks ago. Discussing losing several autocrosses. Mike and Jim Downing will attend the May 15th– 16<sup>th</sup> Autocross in Rantoul, IL

#### **Standing Committee Reports**

**Membership** – Erin Risch - Currently we have 132 members, also Erin has new name tags for the new members and will arrange to get them to them shortly

**Cruise Director** – Open position, Dee and Mike Rosendahl with post future cruises but need a volunteer to be a Cruise Director. Mike Stevens advised that the Broken Ore won't be having a cruise night. Green Street is in McHenry, will start up middle of May. More information to follow

**Sponsorship** – Mike Moushey – Not in Attendance

**Charity** – Julie Thomas – Nothing to report, Julie will check with the Salvation Army on the Back to School Donation drive. Will report back to the members after talking to Salvation Army

Historian - Chuck Pipher - Not in attendance





## **Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes**

Secretary Marilyn Roberts

Ambassador NCM – Scott Schulz – Scott spoke about the announcement at the BASH. NCM is making improvements to enlarge the Museum with a 2 story and 30,000 sq ft addition. Many wonderful improvements and enhancements when completed. NCM needs to raise 12 million, have gotten 2 million to date. Please check the NCM website for current dates for activities. They will have a Le Mans weekend on August 21st-22. Also several Museum in Motion events in Colorado, Ohio and Laps around Kentucky, leaves from NCM and leaded by the State Police. September 2-4 is the NCM 27th Anniversary Celebration

Scott has gotten a 25% discount for any NEW NCM member that is a Sunburst Member, you can't do this online must call the museum directly and mention Sunburst. For the NCM Raffles you need to go online and print out the form from their website and mail in the form. Please mention you are with Sunburst Corvette Club. Scott also mentioned the NCM web page you can check out road trips and other events on the NCM website.

**Newsletter** – Patti Schulz – Patti thanked those that supplied pictures and reminded us that the deadline for getting articles or pictures to her is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. Patti will send out a reminder to the members

**Webmaster –** Gary Gembala – Nothing to report, he took the monthly photo of the attending members for our Facebook posting

**Apparel** – Loren Doppelt – Nothing to report, asked the members if they would like him to set up a special promotion from KC Printing?

**Sergeant of Arms** – Dave Thomas - Nothing to report

Goodwill - Nancy Nance acknowledged Birthdays and Anniversaries for May

Kris Rodgers advised us that Marilyn Backe has had extensive surgeries for cancer and was in ICU for 6 days, is home now, unsure on her recovery status, has a home health nurse. Well wishes for a fast and speedy recovery Marilyn, from your Sunburst friends!

Old Business - N/A

**New Business** – Dee heard back from Woodstock Parade officials, it will be May 31<sup>st</sup> and Dee will send out a flyer.

May 12th Board Meeting will be held at Galati's. Only allowing Board members/spouses and Committee Chairman/spouse. Galati's requirement is 50 or less in attendance, tables will be spaced to accommodate social distancing rules.

Discussion of the June Membership Meeting going live or continue with ZOOM. Mike Rosendahl said that Galati's is still holding the 50 max person limit. More to discuss at the Board meeting on May 12<sup>th</sup>. Steve MacCabe suggested using VOOM so the ones that don't attend in person can still participate



## Sunburst CC Meeting Minutes

Secretary Marilyn Roberts

#### **Upcoming Events**

- •May 31st Woodstock Memorial Day Parade Meet at McDonalds on RT 47 at 9:00AM and will stage from there. Official Parade starts at 11:00AM. Do not have information on whether there will be candy throwing or not, Dee will advise as she hears from Woodstock Parade officials. Lunch is planned at Culvers on RT14 in Woodstock after the parade
- •6/15 Cruise Night @ The Moose 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Mike Moushey
- •7/4 Crystal Lake 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade Mike Stevens, please email Mike if you want to participate, there is a 10-car limited. Scott and Patti Schulz have offered to be walkers in the parade and toss out candy
- •July 23<sup>rd</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Sunburst Steps Back in Time Dinner Train, Cincinnati, OH 1940's Dinner train theme. Stevens and Downings are planning an extended trip to NCM after the Dinner train drive trip.
- •8/7 8/8 Flying by the Seat of Our Pants Autocross Stevens & Moushey. Mike Stevens reported that everything is set for the autocross at MCCC and also the October 10/16 10/17 Autocross NICC. Events are pending on the Department of Public Health. They are looking for volunteers to help with the auto cross, more details to follow. Also MCCC sent a note to Mike Stevens and Mike Moushey that they must hold the event with no more than 50 people. Hopefully things will open up within the next month or so to change that restriction
- •9/19 Sunburst Car Show Doppelt, Stevens & Rosendahl Mike Stevens said that he spoke with Dan Hoyland and it was a very successful discussion. Mike mentioned that will plan a VOOM meeting for those members that have volunteered to help at the Car Show. Loren has posted our Car Show on several Facebook sites and Scott mentioned it's listed on the NCM site as well. There will be Car Show flyers given out to advertise our show
- •10/7 10/10 Fall Color Run Gembala The plans are moving along well, all is good
- •June 4th is a race date, please check with Charles Bush for details. Great Lakes Drag Way

**Next Membership meeting on June 3<sup>rd</sup> –** meeting starts at 7pm (hoping to have live meeting, TBD)

**Next Board Meeting on June 9**th – meeting starts at 6pm @ Galati's with a possible web cam **Adjournment:** entertained a motion to adjourn - Adjourned at 8:15 pm

Respectively, Marilyn Roberts

Secretary





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### 2021 Charities



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#### Clearbrook / CHOICE

Clearbrook /CHOICE (the local McHenry Branch) provides children's services including early intervention services, autism resource rooms, and developmental resources. Adult Services include day programs for those needing employment, volunteering, socializing and leisure activities.





#### Open Heart Magic

Open Heart Magic volunteers provide bedside magic for kids and their families in hospitals, providing magical experiences for them where they are unable to participate in other activities. It helps entertain and provide hope and strength sick kids need to fight their issues and start to feel better.



#### Senior Care Volunteer Network

Senior Care Network in McHenry County or Sun City Huntley works with seniors to maintain independence and quality of life by helping them to stay in their own home as long as possible. They provide transportation if needed, give friendly visits, yard work, shopping, all at no charge to the senior.

#### Elgin Symphony Orchestra

Elgin Symphony performs at area hospitals and hospice care facilities, providing comfort for patients and staff. They also perform for and work with students and have a traveling ensemble that performs at area schools and local libraries.



### 2021 Charities



#### Hi Sunbursters!!!

The Board has decided to do the Back to School donations for the Salvation Army as we have done in the past. They have scheduled their distribution to the families the first week of August. So after speaking with Jeff from Salvation Army, we agreed that donations will be brought in by July 15th.

I have attached a list (please refer to following page) I received from him with ideas and suggestions.

Because we are still having zoom membership meetings, we are going to again meet at Galati's parking lot for the donation collections. This worked really well last year. We will be meeting in the parking lot on Saturday, July 10th, from 11:00 to 1:00, and then bring everything in to Salvation Army on July 15th.

If you can't make it at this time, another option is to bring your donations to one of our houses – no later than July 8th - but please call first to let us know when you are coming so someone will be home!

One other option, you can bring your donations directly to Salvation Army. The address is 290 West Crystal Lake Avenue, Crystal Lake, IL. Go in through the door off the parking lot, from 8:30 - 4:00. Our contact is Jeff Pal. Please be sure to tell them you are from Sunburst!

Again, thank you everyone for your wonderful support of this annual Back to School event. Please call or email if you have any questions.

Julie Thomas Karen Pipher Kathy Samuel



## **2021 Charities**



#### **Salvation Army Back to School Supply - 2021**

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Markers \*Broad Tip

**Colored Pencils** 

2 Pocket Folders

12 inch Ruler

**Highlighters** 

Spiral Notebook

**Loose Leaf Paper** 

**Composition Book** 

**Blue or Black Pens** 

**Red Pens** 

#### Grades 6-12

**Back Pack** 

#2 Mechanical Pencils

**Eraser** 

**Glue Sticks** 

**Markers** 

**Colored Pencils** 

2 Pocket Folders

12 inch Ruler

Highlighter

**Spiral Notebook** 

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**Composition Book** 

**Blue or Black Pens** 

**Red Pen** 

3 Ring Binder

Index Cards



### **Two Minute Tech Tip**

#### TWO MINUTE TECH TIP

Jim Downing

Our car is a C7 Z51, which means it has the dry sump oil system. Should be identical to a C7 Grand Sport and similar to a C7 Z06 or ZR1 but perhaps not identical. (The Base C7 has a very different system that must be checked differently.)

We are supposed to check the oil level 5-10 minutes after shutdown at 175' OIL temp, but I wondered how much difference the time actually makes. Or does it make any difference at all???

I top off the oil so that it comes to the Full hole on the dipstick when checked as per the Manual- oil temp 175'F, checked at 7 1/2 minutes (right in the middle of the official time window).

Yesterday I checked the oil at a number of different times after shutdown, to see how fast the oil drains from the tank down into the engine.

Minutes After Shutdown, Inches Above/Below the Hole:

- 1, +1/4"
- 2, +1/4"
- 3, +1/8"
- 4, +1/8"
- 5, +1/8"
- 6, +1/8"
- 7, at top of Full hole
- 8, at top of Full hole
- 9, at middle of hole
- 10, at middle of hole
- 11, at bottom of hole
- 12, at bottom of hole
- 13, at bottom of hole
- 14, 1/8"
- 15, 1/8"
- 20, 1/8"
- 25, 1/4'
- 30, 3/8"
- 45, 3/8"
- 1 HR, 3/4"
- 2 HR, at bottom of Add hole
- 3 HR, 1/4 " below Add hole
- 4 HR, 1/2' below Add hole
- 5 HR, 1" below Add hole
- 15 HRS, 3 1/4" below Add hole

I didn't try to use a micrometer on the dipstick, just carefully laid it beside a ruler and rounded off to the nearest 1/8".

The car is a 2017 Z51 A8, 36k miles, using Mobil1 0W-40 ESP Dexos. Air temperature during the test was 65-75'F.

Jim



### SUNBURST Bronze Level Sponsors







## How much will you need to retire? Let's talk.



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### How to - Create a Club Activity

#### THINKING OF AN ACTIVITY OR EVENT

Any Member can plan a club event. Doing so can be fun, create a good forum to interact with others and everyone is encouraged to think of new or different activities. This could be planning a Sunburst Corvette Club Activity or making arrangements for Sunburst Members to participate in another organizations' event.

IF you have ideas for a future event/activity don't be afraid to step forward. When practical, begin well in advance in order to obtain participants and make necessary reservations or collect pre-payments. Talk-up opportunities with Members whenever possible, via Groups IO, our Facebook Group Page or at Membership Meetings.

**Ask for guidance** – others have planned activities and will gladly offer their expertise. Going where we can drive our Corvettes and congregate is why many of us belong to a Corvette Club. Remember we often travel/tour as couples so incorporate spousal interest activities. Some general event ideas include:

- \*Any destination where you have been or wish to go that may interest other Members. May involve route creation, overnight accommodations and arranging meals.
- \*Cars and Coffee at local coffee shops or plazas,
- \*Car Shows often arranged by local restaurants or pizzerias to encourage diners,
- \*Gatherings at auto-parts stores, pet shoppes or shopping malls offering public-interest, community cruise-ins, holiday/veteran/homecoming parades organized by others but open to Sunburst Members.
- \*An activity to support a Charity, Senior Living Facility or Food Bank
- \*Track events (e.g. Road America, Go Karting, NCM Motorsports Park)
- \*R8C Delivery of a Member car or other National Corvette Museum Event. The Bourbon Trail or various Equestrian activities are nearby too.
- \*Seminars for Corvette or automobile-related subjects (e.g. car detailing, Preparation techniques for being judged at a Car-Show, tuning, maintenance)
  - \*Museums or Collections the Midwest has many interesting ones
  - \*Organized drives either local or long distance (e.g. seasonal festivals, fall colors, etc.)
- \*Anywhere for something good to eat at an interesting place (restaurant, winery, historical site.)
  - \*Create a Picnic, BBQ, Potluck at a local park



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\*Autocrosses – participate or assist. Use the opportunity to promote our Club autocross event

There are available tools to guide you.

- A) IMPORTANT FIRST STEP Look at the <u>Sunburst Event Calendar</u> for openings where date(s) have not been reserved. Consider potential alternative date(s) or rain date(s). The Board will not approve conflicting Club activities.
- B) Develop a "Flyer" to promote the activity to Members on-line and at meetings.
- C) Print a copy from this link of the <u>Sunburst Event Approval Form</u>, it will guide you for information the Board needs to approve your event and enter it onto the calendar.
- D) Submit your Sunburst Event Approval Form and Flyer to the Sunburst Board by email at: <a href="mailto:Board@SunburstCorvetteClub.com">Board@SunburstCorvetteClub.com</a> in advance of the monthly Board Meeting held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month. You may be contacted should multiple submissions with conflicting dates be submitted. The Board wants to approve all submissions the **only** reason for Board approval is to prevent conflicting activities. Once approved and entered onto the Sunburst Event Calendar your event date is secure.
- E) Sunburst Corvette Club is a member of the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC). For all events, participants MUST sign a <u>NCCC Release and Waiver of Liability</u>. Print sufficient copies from this link, complete the heading and have ALL participants sign before departing on the event.

Later, send completed document(s) to: <a href="mailto:governor@Sunburstcorvetteclub.com">governor@Sunburstcorvetteclub.com</a>.

#### HELPFUL PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS

These may not apply to every event, applicability depends on matters specific to your activity; and this list of hints may not be complete. Please remember, if you're planning something, others have gone before you so take advantage of their experience by inviting someone to partner. The goal is to have a good time.

\*When your event is more impulse, we refer to these as **Flash Drives**. NO PRE-APPROVAL is necessary. This might be for ice cream on a summer day, dinner or just a drive, etc.

- a) Simply get an email blast out via Groups IO using: <a href="mailto:Sunburstmembers@groupsio">Sunburstmembers@groupsio</a>.

  Provide a gathering location, time and destination.
- b) Sunburst also has a closed Facebook Group page (Members MUST be registered into the Group to post or receive) for communication, simply open Facebook and under Groups connect to: Sunburst Corvette Club.
- c) Interested Members will respond and meet you.
- \*Dates should be identified in advance as far as practical to help coordinate events.
- \*Arrange specifics relevant to each activity such as:

Volunteers – what help is needed and how many helpers

Equipment/Supplies/Sponsors/Vendors/Prizes

Will Members want to bring chairs or shade structures?

**Catering/Restaurants** – Contact restaurants well in advance. Determine what accommodations they offer for your size group. Keep in mind that all of us



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arriving at the same time can overwhelm a kitchen so work with the restaurant enabling them to schedule necessary wait and kitchen staff.

Separate checks per couple are the club preference. Arrange with restaurant.

PRE-PAYMENT - IF advance payment is necessary for anything (be it food, admission, ferry, etc.) determine the amount and have participants remit via PayPal or give you a check payable to Sunburst Corvette Club. Give any checks to the Sunburst Treasurer (the Event Organizer has the option to request checks be payable to themselves) who will deposit for your event. The club considers these pre-payments to be "Non-Refundable". Then you can make the advance payment on your credit card. When you submit a receipt to the Treasurer you will be reimbursed. This method maintains integrity of money. If someone must cancel, a late registrant can reimburse the initial Member for their pre-payment and be substituted.

Lodging – If overnight accommodations are planned, most hotels will reserve a block of rooms with a preferred rate for a period of time in advance. Speak with the Reservation Agent, sometimes they will even arrange special parking for our group. It is recommended that the respective hotel(s) be mentioned in your communication with the dates and agreed upon rate. Provide a telephone number for participants to each make their own reservation. As Event Planner it is a good idea that you keep in contact with the Reservation Agent(s) to verify reservations have been made by everyone for the correct date and location. Many Sunburst Members have Hilton frequency accounts and we have enjoyed hospitality at their Hampton Inns and Homewood Suites where Members can earn/redeem points for their room(s).

Route Planning – There are numerous routing programs on-line such as MapQuest and Google Earth, or simply study a map or Rand McNally atlas. Scenic, off-interstate driving is a favorite when possible/practical. Whatever the destination:

- a) Create a planned route to drive.
- b) When possible, turn-by-turn directions with a copy given to each car is recommended. IF your destination is relatively close, pre-driving to learn road conditions is a good idea.
- c) Trip directions can be emailed to participants in advance but ALWAYS have a few extra copies at the Drivers Meeting prior to departure for someone who forgot.
- d) Provide addresses of destinations, including restaurants, rest points and hotels. Should people get separated they can enter the address into their phone or Navigation.
- e) Gather and share telephone numbers of participants for use in the event of separation.
- f) Plan for frequent breaks at least every couple hours. Highway rest areas, chain restaurants, convenience stores or gas stations. Include these as part of your route.
- g) IF many cars will be participating, divide into groups of 5-6 cars. This number can remain together thru traffic and intersections.
  - \*Some Members have preferred companion-members to travel with, so ask.
  - \*Perhaps arrange for experienced Members to be the Group Leader and Back Door. Many have CB or GMRS radios and are the best candidates for those positions.
  - \*IF someone needs to stop for a mechanical issue, fuel or facilities, accommodate them keep the group together.



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**Organization** – Create and maintain a spreadsheet with participants names and relevant information.

Assembly – Frequently we assemble at a restaurant - allow sufficient time to enjoy a meal before the designated departure time. Often we support one of our sponsor restaurants in this manner. Arrangements with the restaurant will be necessary.

**Drivers Meeting** - should be conducted immediately prior to departure to have Waivers signed, distribute any pass-outs, communicate information and enable groups to assemble. Groups will space themselves.

We hope this will be helpful and encouraging for Members, long-time and new, to plan an activity. Only you know why you joined Sunburst, but most likely it was to enjoy your car with others sharing a similar passion. As a club, we depend on ourselves to fulfill the passion – it doesn't happen automatically.

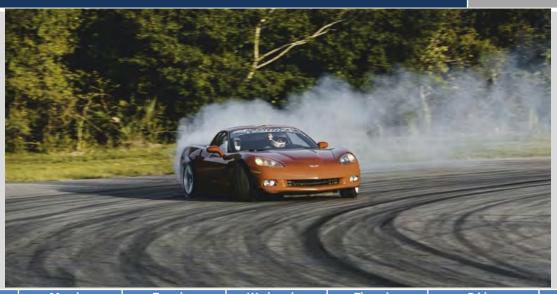
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## Sunburst Events Calendar

## JUNE

2021



| Sunday                                | Monday              | Tuesday              | Wednesday   | Thursday                          | Friday         | Saturday |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                       |                     | 1                    | 2   | 3                                 | 4              | 5        |
|                                       |                     |                      |   | Membership<br>Meeting 7pm<br>Zoom |                |          |
| 6                                     | 7                   | 8                    | 9   | 10                                | 11             | 12       |
|                                       |                     |                      | Board<br>Meeting at<br>Galati's 6pm<br>& via Zoom |                                   |                |          |
| 13                                    | 14                  | 15                   | 16  | 17                                | 18             | 19       |
|                                       | Flag Day            | Cruise the Moose 5pm |   |                                   |                |          |
| 20                                    | 21                  | 22                   | 23  | 24                                | 25             | 26       |
| (XOXOXOXOXOX<br>Happy<br>Father's Day | First Day of Summer |                      |   |                                   |                |          |
| Dad                                   | 28                  | 29                   | 30  |                                   |                |          |
| nn Mau                                |                     |                      |   |                                   |                |          |
|                                       |                     | For more eve         | ents visit our we                                 | hsite                             |                |          |
|                                       |                     | At https://ww        |   | etteclub.com/ma                   | ain/index.html |          |



### **NCCC Midwest Region Info**



#### Family Helping Family

The NCCC has established a program where NCCC members traveling have options if something happens to them; their car or if they just want to have a cup of coffee with a fellow member.

The Family Helping Family directory that is currently published is up to date but the Password has been changed for the new year.

User Name: NCCCHelp Password: 1963SplitWindow Please note that both the User id and

PW are Case Sensitive.



The Midwest Region (MWR) of The National Council of Corvette Clubs, Inc. (NCCC) currently serves about 2,500 Members in 28 Corvette Clubs in the States of Illinois, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

#### **Midwest Region 2021 Officers**

Regional Executive Larry Pagliaro re@mwregion.com



Regional Competition Director Chris Milewski



Regional Membership Director Sandy Arnold

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Regional Secretary

Jeanne Cassel

secretary@mwregion.com



Regional Treasurer Russ Tharp treasurer@mwregion.com







### **NCCC Midwest Region Events Calendar**

|                |          | 2021 Midwest Region Sch    | edule of Events (L | ast Updated 05-28-2021)                            |  |
|----------------|----------|----------------------------|--------------------|--|--|
| DATE           |          | EVENT                      | LOCATION           | HOST CLUB(S)                                       |  |
| 9-Jan          | Saturday | MWR Governors Meeting      | On Line            | MWR Virtual Meeting                                |  |
| 27-Feb         | Saturday | MWR Governors Meeting      | On Line            | MWR Virtual Meeting                                |  |
| 17-Apr         | Saturday | MWR Governors Meeting      | On Line            | MWR Virtual Meeting                                |  |
| 18-Apr         | Sunday   | 3 Rallye Events            | Milan, IL          | Mid-West Corvettes                                 |  |
| 24-Apr         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Windy City - Chicago CC - Chicago Crossroads       |  |
| 25-Apr         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Little Egypt - Corvette Cruisers                   |  |
| Apr 30 & May 1 | Fri/Sat  | NCCC Meetings              | St. Louis, MO      | NCCC Meetings                                      |  |
| 15-May         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Windy City - Chicago Cross Roads - CC of Illinois  |  |
| 16-May         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Corvette Cruisers - Corvette Club of Illinois      |  |
| 23-May         | Sunday   | 3 PC Concours Events       | Orland Park, IL    | Windy City Corvettes                               |  |
| 29-May         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| 30-May         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| 31-May         | Monday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| 5-Jun          | Saturday | 7 Rallye Events            | LaCrosse, WI       | River City Corvettes                               |  |
| 6-Jun          | Sunday   | 4 Rallye Events            | New Berlin, WI     | Badger State - Brew City                           |  |
| Jun 13 to18    | Sun-Fri  | NCCC                       | Cleveland, IL      | NCCC Convention                                    |  |
| 27-Jun         | Sunday   | 3 PC Concours Events       | Tinley Park, IL    | Chicago CC - Windy City                            |  |
| 10-Jul         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Madison, WI        | Mad City-Northern Rays-Kettle Moraine-Badger State |  |
| 11-Jul         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Madison, WI        | Mad City-Northern Rays-Kettle Moraine-Badger State |  |
| 17-Jul         | Sunday   | PC Concours Event          | Cancelled          | Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club                   |  |
| 24-Jul         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Quincy, IL         | Great River - Little Egypt                         |  |
| 25-Jul         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Quincy, IL         | Great River - Little Egypt                         |  |
| 31-Jul         | Saturday | 7 Rallye Events            | Woodbury, MN       | Corvettes of MN                                    |  |
| 1-Aug          | Sunday   | 2 Rallye Events            | Orland Park, IL    | Windy City - Central MN                            |  |
| 7-Aug          | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Crystal Lake, IL   | Mad City - Glass Favorites - Sunburst              |  |
| 8-Aug          | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Crystal Lake, IL   | Northern Illinois - Sunburst                       |  |
| 14-Aug         | Saturday | 2 PC Concours Events       | Evansville, WI     | Mad City Vettes                                    |  |
| 15-Aug         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Davenport, IA      | Mid-West Corvettes                                 |  |
| 15-Aug         | Sunday   | 1 Concours - 2 PC Concours | West Allis, WI     | Badger State                                       |  |
| 21-Aug         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Pekin, IL          | Central Illinois - Rolling Prairie                 |  |
| 22-Aug         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Pekin, IL          | Central Illinois - Rolling Prairie                 |  |
| 28-Aug         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Peoria, IL         | Mid-Illinois - Glass Favorites                     |  |
| 29-Aug         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Peoria, IL         | Mid-Illinois                                       |  |
| Sep 10 & 11    | Fri/Sat  | MWR & NCCC Meetings        | St. Louis, MO      | MWR & NCCC Meetings                                |  |
| 18-Sep         | Saturday | 5 PC Concours              | TBD                | Wisconsin Corvette Club                            |  |
| 18-Sep         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | TBD                | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| 19-Sep         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | TBD                | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| 25-Sep         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Northern Rays - Windy City - Chicago CC            |  |
| 26-Sep         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Rantoul, IL        | Chicago Crosssroads - Chicago CC                   |  |
| 2-Oct          | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | St. Charles, MO    | Route 66 - St. Louis                               |  |
| 3-Oct          | Sunday   | 5 Autocross Events         | St. Charles, MO    | Route 66   |  |
| 16-Oct         | Saturday | 7 Autocross Events         | Crystal Lake, IL   | Northern IL-Northern Rays-Sunburst- Windy City     |  |
| 17-Oct         | Sunday   | 7 Autocross Events         | Crystal Lake, IL   | MWR FUNdraiser - MWR Clubs                         |  |
| Nov 12 & 13    | Fri/Sat  | MWR & NCCC Meetings        | St. Louis, MO      | MWR & NCCC Meetings                                |  |



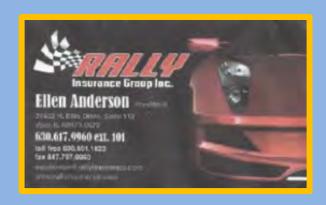


### SUNBURST Route 66 Level Sponsors











## **Committee Chair Message Board**

#### **Sunburst Corvette Club Apparel**

KC Printing Services is the official embroidery company for our Sunburst Corvette Club. They are a family owned business that has been in the area for 31 years. They are located at NW Highway and Pepper road in Lake Barrington.

Members can either purchase clothing directly from them OR bring in your own items to have our new Sunburst Corvette Club logo embroidered. The cost for the logo on a shirt is \$8.00. If you add your name, that will be an additional \$7.00. Soon, we will have our own online store where you can order some stock items. More information to come

KC printing does all their work on premise and is a full-service printer too. You can come in to their store or work with them on the phone. Our contact there is Tom O'Dell. His work phone number is 847-382-8822. Cell phone 630-776-9492 Email tom @ kcprint.com

They do have a catalog of items on their website <a href="https://www.kcprint.com">www.kcprint.com</a>

If you have any questions, please contact our Apparel Coordinator, Loren Doppelt at <a href="mailto:lorendoppelt@comcast.net">lorendoppelt@comcast.net</a> or 847-652-6865



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Another addition of Sunspots has hit the streets. Thank you to all who contributed to this addition! I encourage everyone to send any articles/pictures/trivia/etc. that you think our club members might enjoy. I apologize for any mistakes or omissions in the newsletter. When you post pictures from an event, please add a short narrative about the event. Email me, Patti Schulz, with your info at <a href="mailto:newsletter@sunburstcorvetteclub.com">newsletter@sunburstcorvetteclub.com</a>.

IF YOU LIKE WHAT YOU SEE HERE OR AT AN EVENT OR A VISIT TO A SPONSOR, LET US KNOW. IT'S ENCOURAGING TO THE PEOPLE WHO WORK AT CREATING A GOOD EXPERIENCE FOR ALL OF USII YOUR OPINION COUNTS AND IS APPRECIATED!!

Corvette Classifieds is offered to members of Sunburst Corvette Club at no charge. Non-members are invited to advertise in Sunspots at a charge of \$25 per half page for 2 months. If you wish to advertise in this publication of SCC, please send all information to <a href="mailto:newsletter@sunburstcorvetteclub.com">newsletter@sunburstcorvetteclub.com</a>.



## **Celebrations**

### **June Anniversaries**



- 4 Michael & Shawn Smosna
- 5 Ronald & Kristeen Rogers
- 14 Soren & Marilyn Backe
- 15 Les & Sue Jannusch
- 23 Forrest & Marilyn Roberts

### June Birthdays

02 Loren Doppelt 03 Gregg Yauch 12 Lynda Christopher 15 Shawn Smosna 16 Ken Monroe 16 Gayle Yauch 19 Joani Downing 24 Jerry Risch 24 John Williams 26 Stephanie Doppelt 29 Carol MacCabe



Happy Birthday!



## Sunburst CC Sponsorship Info





## **Sunburst CC Sponsorship Info**

#### SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB Sponsorship Opportunity



#### Greetings,

We are pleased that you have expressed an interest in sponsoring Sunburst Corvette Club (SBCC) and would like to provide you more information on our club and the opportunity for a partnership as a sponsor.

Sunburst has been an active club within the Northwest Illinois Counties for over 45 years and is a 501c3 non-for-profit organization. We have a current membership of over 130 Corvette enthusiasts and are one of the largest clubs in the Northwest Region of the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC).

We enjoy hosting many Corvette related events and activities throughout the year i.e.

- Monthly Club Meetings
- Fun Rallye's
- "Struttin Ur Stuff" Car Show

- Cruise Events

- Parades
- Sponsor Events

- Autocross Racing
- Cruise Nights
- Competitions at local / regional level

We take much pride in giving back to our communities and each year we donate all of our net proceeds to local designated charities. Our funding is generated from club dues, sponsors, and funds raised at club events. Each year we donate an average of ~\$4,000 to our 5 designated charities within our local communities.

In exchange for your annual sponsorship fee, your sponsorship level business ad will be published in the award winning monthly "Sunspots" newsletter and also posted on our website with a link to your business website. Your business will also be highlighted at our monthly meetings on your initial sponsor month and each anniversary date you renew. You will also receive a recognition sponsorship plaque to promote your support for the club. Additionally, our membership takes pride in supporting our sponsors throughout the year.

Please feel free to review our website referenced at <a href="www.sunburstcorvetteclub.com">www.sunburstcorvetteclub.com</a> to view the newsletter and more information on our various activities and the sponsorship pages.





## Sunburst CC **Sponsorship Info**

#### SUNBURST CORVETTE CLUB Sponsorship Opportunity



1<sup>st</sup> Year Sponsorship discount 50% off of Fees listed below



#### SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

#### GOLD LEVEL SPONSOR: \$500

- Full page ad in our monthly newsletter
- Large page ad on SBCC website page
- Recognition as Gold Club Sponsor at events

#### SILVER LEVEL SPONSOR: \$250



- Half page ad in our monthly newsletter
- Medium size ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Silver Club Sponsor at events

#### BRONZE LEVEL SPONSOR: \$100



- Small size ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Bronze Club Sponsor at events

#### ROUTE 66 LEVEL SPONSOR \$50



- Business card ad in our monthly newsletter
- Business card ad on our SBCC website page
- Recognition as Route 66 Sponsor at events

We will display use your existing company logo on the multiple related forums for advertising.

We hope that you will consider partnership as a sponsor with our club and enjoy the benefits of a unique advertising opportunity.

Please feel free to contact me for any additional questions or inquiries. Additionally, I would also like to extend an invitation for you to join me as my guest at a monthly club meeting if you would like to get a feel for our corvette club enthusiasts and related activities we support.

#### THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION!

Sponsorship Chairman:



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