



THE OZAUKEE CORVETTE CLUB



OZAUKEE GLASS

Official Newsletter of the Ozaukee Corvette Club

September 2017 Issue

"Cruisin' Since 1979"

www.ozaukeecorvetteclub.com

[Facebook.com/OzaukeeCorvetteClub](https://www.facebook.com/OzaukeeCorvetteClub)

<mailto:ozaukeecorvetteclub@gmail.com>

President: Jeff Myers
Vice Pres: Ron Giese
Secretary: Sue Montana Myers
Treasurer: Sue Giese
Newsletter Editor: Jim Nowlen

Membership: Ron Giese
Parades: Thom Brown
Web Masters: Pat Murray
Advertising: Mark Hobler
Directors: Gregg Goetz, Mark Hobler, Pat Murray

The Ozaukee Glass, official Newsletter of the Ozaukee Corvette Club, is produced monthly and provided to all members, advertisers and other car clubs. Articles printed in Ozaukee Glass are believed to be accurate and correct. The Ozaukee Club assumes no responsibility for the completeness or correctness of the articles.

The Ozaukee Corvette Club meets the 3rd Sunday of the month unless an alternate date is published.

Upcoming Calendar Events

(See web site calendar for latest information)

September 2nd - Georgie Porgies drive. Contact Jeff Meyer for more information.

September 9th WCC and HOLZ Motors are hosting a car show Sept 9th. See website for details and Please sign up if you intend to participate.

September 20th - September OCC Meeting, 5:30p Wayne's Drive In, Cedarburg. **NOTE THIS CHANGED!**

September 22-24 - Fall Corvette Adventures at Wisc Dells - Chula Vista Resort

September 27th - OCC Night at Wayne's Drive in. FREE ICE CREAM to all who arrive in a Corvette.

October 7th - Post's Door County Run. See website for more info and please sign up if you intend to participate. Rain date is Oct 8th.

October 14th, Bonfire at the Giese's. See website and signup there.

October 15th - October OCC Meeting; 1:00p Firehouse Restaurant, Saukville

EVERY WEDNESDAY is OCC NIGHT AT WAYNE'S. Final night for 2017 is October 25th.

Summary of Club Meeting (August 2017):

As there was not a quorum, there was no August meeting. While we had no official meeting, I did receive a report from Ron regarding membership which I've included below. However, please do not infer that these are actual meeting minutes, just items that were intended to be presented.

Secretary's Report:

None

Treasurer Report:

None

Membership/VP Report: Ron would like us to consider changing or eliminating some information currently maintained in our roster.

He maintained some information about past parades this summer.

Grafton had 17 in parade and 18 in car show.

Cedarburg Parade, 21 cars.

Brown Deer Parade 7 cars.

Port Fish Day parade 24 cars plus 8 in show.

Gables Car Show 16 cars (bringing \$340 to Alzheimer's Fund Raiser.

Brew City Car show at the Nines was a huge success, many OCC members attended.

Mackinaw Car Show was attended by 2 OCC members.

Baraboo Breakfast Run had 5 members' cars attending and the group met Mark and Jan at the restaurant.

AAH fastest yet, 1 hour, 10 people, 6 bags and an interesting assortment of other items.

Also noteworthy was the Christmas in July Party hosted by Jeff and Sue (Thank you!).

Web Master:

None

Newsletter:

None

Old Business:

None

New Business:

None

General Note: Please collect items for the 2018 Chili Cook-off which OCC is hosting. Also, our club will be looking for members to form a planning committee. Please sign up on website to participate.

New Members! Welcome!

Larry and Teri Cohodes

Member Anniversaries:

Bob and Jan Griesmeyer	9/13
Carie and Dana Drennen	9/18
Diane and Erich Rehm	9/20
Dan and Pat Schmitz	9/28
Ron and Sue Giese	9/29

Member Birthdays:

Ken Hackendahl	9/2
Lois Roeske	9/10
Bruce Post	9/17

NEWSLETTER PUBLICATION SCHEDULE:

Articles for each month's newsletter need to be sent to jimnowlen@gmail.com by or before the first of the month.

Elsewhere in our newsletter will be important dates to remember. These are also available on the club website calendar, as well as club "hootboard".

**Next Newsletter cutoff is
October 1, 2017**

Note to members from editor. One of the things I try to feature each month is a Member Spotlight reflecting Corvettes owned by our members. It would help greatly to have on hand pictures and information so that I can include, potentially, YOUR car in a newsletter. If you are willing to participate, would you please send me a PHOTO of your car, along with your story. Your story can be anything you like. For example, how did you come to buy the car you're featuring? Other data that will help: Year, Model, Engine, Color, Nickname and Outstanding Features.

If you're willing to participate, would you please send me an email including photo? Send to: jimnowlen@gmail.com.

Thanks very much!

The story behind "Save The Wave"

We published a little article about one Corvette owner waving to another several years ago. With all the new members in the club, it may be appropriate to re-visit this subject. What does this waving to one another mean? You will see me signing off on most Club emails or tech tips with that final salutation. Waving by one Corvette owner to another dates back to 1953, with the first Corvettes. The cars were such a novelty, that when someone driving one of those '53's spotted some else driving one, the natural reaction was to wave to one another. Also understand, there were only 300 Corvettes in the world in 1953, and if you saw another one, that was really a big deal. I would add that Harley owners didn't wave at one another until 30 or 40 years later. (They perhaps got it from Corvette owners.)

Those early Corvette owners were a hardy group. Their Corvettes rattled, leaked water, drove and handled like a truck, and were so underpowered that they barely could get out of their own way. I believe the 0 to 60 time on the Blue Flame 6 cylinder was a stunning 11.5 seconds. With all those negatives, those owners still loved their cars. Once Zora Duntov, a new staff engineer was allowed to work on the Corvette to improve performance and handling, sales started increasing. Zora was working on hinges and door handles at GM when he wrote a paper on the importance of developing additional high performance parts for the new Chevy small block so that car buyers would forget about the Ford flathead V-8. This letter got the attention of the GM president, Harlan Curtice, and Zora was allowed to work on the Corvette. His letter is on display at the National Corvette Museum.

As the 0 to 60 times came down, sales went up. Duntov got the small block Chevy in the Corvette, and started winning races at Road America, Sebring, and Lemans. Chevrolet gave Corvette owners something to be proud of, and they acknowledged each other with a friendly wave.

In a typical model year, a Chevy dealer might sell 300 new cars and trucks, but only 2 or 3 Corvettes. The Corvette was a magnet car that sat prominently in the showroom window. A potential buyer would see that shiny Corvette sitting under the spotlights in the showroom, surrounded by more mundane Chevys. He wanted that Corvette in the worst way, but his wife and 2 children would never fit inside, and he bought a new BelAire or Station Wagon, but never quite got that desire for a Corvette out of his system. It was the first "someday" car, and we were still a nation of one car families.

(Continued on next page)

That same fellow might return to that same dealership for his next 4 or 5 Chevys, and he was getting closer to having that Corvette “someday”. Our young man was maturing. His children were growing, and his career was soaring - he was ready for a second car, and his first Corvette.

While driving his new Vette down the road, he noticed all the attention it got. He also noticed other Corvette owners smiling and waving to him. This was something very new- no one with a Mustang or Hemi Charger waves to their counterparts, just those Corvette people, because we know exactly how you feel driving America’s only true Sports car, and all of us can identify with you. You start to understand how fortunate you are to be able to drive a Corvette- a car you may have wanted for decades before finally getting it. You return the waves of fellow Corvette owners, and find yourself being the first one to wave at another Corvette owner. When the wave is returned, it just warms the soul a little because you know what that other Corvette owner is experiencing.

Perhaps a few of you are relatively new Corvette owners, and you may not know much about your car. We all buy a Corvette for different reasons, and you may not know about this little 64 year tradition between Vette owners. Well, now you know. So enjoy the recognition, and enjoy your ride.

Save the Wave,
Jeff Myers



Dr. Zhaleh Barari
Optometrist

W194 N16747 Eagle Drive
Jackson, WI 53037

p 262.677.4313
f 262.677.4396

ecpnetwork.com/jacksonvisioncenter



Silk Screen Specialists
 1231 11th Ave
 Grafton, WI
 53024
 P: 262-377-5889

We want to mention that Silk Screen specialists already have our club logo and most if not all Corvette generations 'vette logo. This is a great place to get your OCC logo gear.

Bring your own shirt, or buy from them. Note that our "official" shirt color for parades is White.



**BELIEVE
 IN THE POWER
 OF MENTORING!**



Big Brothers Big Sisters
 of Ozaukee County

Big Brothers & Sisters Needed!
 Two programs to fit your schedule!
 CONTACT US TODAY!

Website: www.bbbsoz.org
 Phone: 262-377-0784

Special congratulations to Pat and Ann Murray who won First Place at the Corvette Crossroads Car Show this past weekend in Mackinaw City, MI.



**CLIMATE CONTROLLED VEHICLE STORAGE
AT 50 CORNERS & MEQUON STORAGE**

262-236-0612

- Temperature between 50 – 80 degrees
- Electric garage door
- Optional outlet for battery charger hook up
- Gated facility with security cameras
- 24/7 access
- Conventional storage also available

MYSTORAGEHOME.COM


Where your ideal electrical dreams become a reality!



**ideal
ELECTRIC** INC
COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL
RESIDENTIAL
TheIdealelectricians.com

Office (262) 628-1948
Office (414) 774-2968

Jeremy Giese
Cell (414) 704-9914
jeremy@TheIdealelectricians.com



Car-Feteria

www.car-feteria.com

**Custom Vehicle Stereo & Security Systems
Sales & Installation**

6767 N. Teutonia Milwaukee, WI 53209



Patti Steeber
Sales Manager

414-352-3510

M-F 9:00-5:30
Sat. 10:00-2:00

KENWOOD
Listen to the Future

Pioneer

Rockford Fosgate

Vehicle Security

Alarms | 2-way Communications | Keyless Entry | Remote Start | Smart Start

Mobile Audio Systems

Car Stereos | Speakers | Amps | Subwoofers | Custom Enclosures

Video & DVD Systems

Backup Cameras | In-Dash Navigation | Monitors (in-dash/overhead/headrest)

Vehicle Accessories

Cruise Control | Custom Lighting | Truck Accessories | Heated Seats
IPOD & Bluetooth Adapters | Auto Dimming Mirrors (Homelink, compass, monitor)
Curb Finder | Blind Spot Detection | Proximity Sensors | Directional Mirrors

Classifieds:

For Sale- 2007 Corvette Coupe, LS-2 400 hp, 6spd auto, Velocity Yellow, Cashmere interior, Chrome wheels, 3LT options, @9500 miles. Being sold by the original owners, Pat Zaske. Asking \$28,000. OBO. Call for more information 262-377-3331.

CORVETTE Storage in Cedarburg area. Very clean, dry, bird proof and secure. Reasonable annual rates. Thom Brown 262-227-9927.

Storage in Germantown. Very clean, dry and secure. Reasonable seasonal and annual rates. Electricity available for battery tender at additional charge. Wally Baatz 262-751-5011

Recognition Specialists, Inc.

**Come See Us at Our New
Larger Location in Saukville**

*Corporate Awards - Trophies - Plaques - Signage & Nametags
Clocks & Giftware - Ribbons - Medals - In-House Laser Engraving*

**407 N. Progress Drive Saukville, WI 53080
(262) 377-5528**

**Email: recspec1201@att.net
www.recognitionsspecialists.net**

WBAATZ

WB Accounting And Tax Zervice

W210 N10797 Appleton Ave. Walter D. Baatz

Germantown, WI 262-250-0550

53022-3711 fax: 262-250-0890

wjb.acctgntaxsvc@gmail.com

ERIC VON SCHLEDORN AUTO GROUP



www.TheGMDealer.com • www.TheFordDealer.com

CP



Barbara Kinsland
Custom Portering by Barbie
4509 N. 126Th St. 262-783-6288
Butler, WI 53007 customportering.com

CORVETTE SPORTS INC.

720 FOREST AVENUE · SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WI 53085



NEW CORVETTE PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
Complete Inventory of Service and Restoration Parts

GENERAL SERVICE AND REPAIR
MECHANICAL REPAIR PARTIAL RESTORATIONS
COMPONENT RESTORATIONS

SPECIALIZING IN CORVETTE SUSPENSIONS
REAR WHEEL BEARINGS - CONTROL ARMS - DIFFERENTIALS

Quality Corvette Parts Rebuilding and Service
Steering Boxes - A-Arms - Powering Steering - Front Coil Springs
Gas Shocks - Rear Springs - Tach Drives - Speedometers

"Call us FIRST or Call us LAST for all your Corvette Needs"

www.corvettesports.com

Phone: (920) 467-2833 Fax: (920) 467-2358

Sweet Creations



Village Bakery LLC

Fresh Baked on the Premises

Slinger, WI

310 E. Washington St.
(Hwy 175)

262-644-7949 Phone
262-644-1625 Fax

West Bend, WI


825 South Main St.
262-353-9172 Phone

Destination Sawmill
BREAKFAST ANYTIME · LUNCH · DINNER

Hang Where The Locals Do.
a proud local destination since 1982

- Daily Specials
- Outdoor Seating
- Rustic Atmosphere
- Have Your Parties Here

All Our Bakery, Pies and Ice Cream
Are Made Right In Our Own Kitchen
Private Dining Or Banquet Room
That Accommodates 50 Guests



Richfield, Wisconsin
www.sawmillpub.com
262-628-4128
Opens Daily at 7am

Metal Art, Antiques, Vintage, Repurposed
Custom metal signs available

Kevin Kapp
Chief Creative Officer

5241 Hwy 167, Hubertus, WI 53033
2 miles east of Holy Hill

414-640-8981

kevin@treeghost.com www.treeghost.com facebook

HOURS: Wed-Fri: 12 to 5; Sat: 10 to 4; Sun 12-4 MAR - DEC



Dan Wrolstad

Direct: 262.375.4108 ext. 331
Office: 262.375.0550
Cell: 414.550.4340
E-mail: dwrolstad@shorewest.com

ShoreWEST
REPUBLICAN

Cedarburg Office
1245 Cheyenne Ave.
Suite 103
Grafton, WI 53024
Fax: 262.375.9003
shorewest.com

Tires Unlimited Automotive Services

1557 N. Wisconsin St., Port Washington
262-284-4414

Authorized dealer for: Goodyear, Continental,
Pirelli, General, Dunlop, & Kelly tires.

ASE Certified Technicians - Find us on Facebook



Continental Extreme Contact DWS
Ultra-High Performance, All-Season
tire tuned for drivers seeking
extreme grip and comfort.



Goodyear Assurance ComforTred Touring
Our best tire for a smooth ride with defined
handling. T&H speed rating 80,000 mile tread
life limited warranty, V speed rating 70,000
mile tread life limited warranty.



Pirelli P Zero All Season
Performance you can trust, confident control
and smooth comfort plus
year around versatility.

www.tiresunlimitedautomotive.com



**CORVETTE
CONNECTION**
www.corvetteconnection.net

Bob Steinbacher
262-781-2166
5075 N. 124th Street
Butler, WI 53007

NEW & USED PARTS
Complete Body & Mechanical Repair
Appraisals • Buy and Sell
Pre-Buy Inspections



1331 Covered Bridge Road, Cedarburg, WI 53012
 262.375.9999



Proud co-sponsors with Ozaukee Corvette Club of
 Wednesday Night Corvette Cruise In at the Drive-In
 Mid May through September @5pm

WEST BEND DYNO TUNING LLC

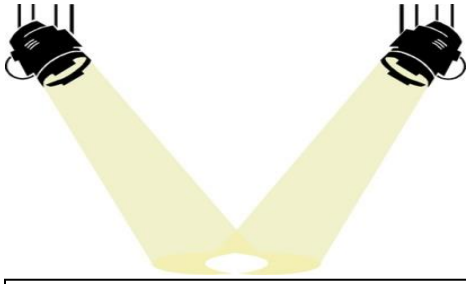


8450 TRADING POST TRAIL • WEST BEND, WI 53090
 TECHINFO@WESTBENDDYNO.COM • WESTBENDDYNO.COM
 (262) 692-9035

YOUR ONE STOP SPEED SHOP

- EFI & CARBURETOR TUNING
- SUPER CHARGER & NITROUS INSTALLATIONS
- PERFORMANCE EXHAUST PACKAGES
- PERFORMANCE ALIGNMENT & SUSPENSION SETUPS
- PERFORMANCE BRAKE PACKAGES
- PERFORMANCE WHEEL & TIRE PACKAGES
- COMPLETE VEHICLE RESTORATIONS
- FULL TRACK SUPPORT





Member's Spotlight

Jon and Nancy Gilmour's Corvette

When I first saw the new C7 design I fell in love with it. After several months of indecision I decided to trade my 2001 C5 and buy a 2014 Laguna Blue Z-51 convertible on April 30, 2014. I looked all over the country for that particular vehicle with premium options and finally found it at Runde Chevrolet in East Dubuque. I often wondered why I had difficulty in finding that model. After a few months I made an inquiry to the Corvette Museum to find out how rare it was. I knew there were only 341 2014 Laguna Blue Z-51 convertibles, but was informed mine was 1 of only 4 built with premium options. I thoroughly enjoy the car and intend to keep it stock.



About this Corvette:

Year: 2014

Model: Z-51 Convertible 3LT

Engine: LT1 6.2L - 460hp

Color: Laguna Blue

Nickname: Not named

Outstanding Features: All performance options. For this model, color and options, this is 1 of 4.

Ozaukee Corvette Club
PO Box 371
Cedarburg, WI 53012



100 South Main Street
Saukville, WI 53080
(262) 284-8886
Owner – Jim Keller

Upcoming Calendar Events
(See web site calendar for latest information)

September 2nd - Georgie Porgies drive.
Contact Jeff Meyer for more information.

September 9th WCC and HOLZ Motors are hosting a car show Sept 9th. See website for details and Please sign up if you intend to participate.

NOTE THIS CHANGED!

September 20th - September OCC Meeting, 5:30p Waynes Drive In, Cedarburg.

September 22-24 - Fall Corvette Adventures at Wisc Dells - Chula Vista Resort

September 27th - OCC Night at Wayne's Drive in. FREE ICE CREAM to all who arrive in a Corvette.

October 7th - Post's Door County Run. See website for more info and please sign up if you intend to participate. Rain date is Oct 8th.

October 14th, Bonfire at the Giese's. See website and signup there.