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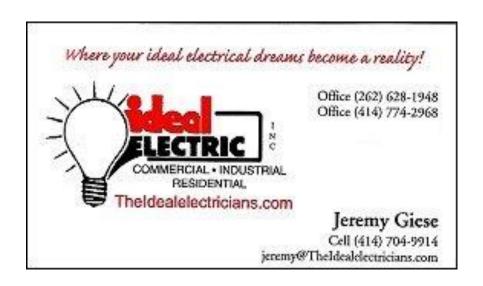
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The Ozaukee Corvette Club meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month unless an alternate date is published.

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Upcoming Calendar of Events 2020 (See web site calendar for latest information)

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April 8, 2020; 6:00pm OCC Board Meeting, TBD (Jim will work on a conference bridge)
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June 2, 2020 5pm - 9pm; The Nines Brew City Car Show Corvette Night
June 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> 2020, Corvette Adventures, Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells. Please <u>Sign Up</u> here.
       (See flyer page 9)
June 7, 2020, 7:30am - 3pm Trip Around Lake Winnebago, Please Sign Up Here.
June 7, 2020; 11am - 3pm; Grafton Lions Club OCC Car Show
June 13, 2020 8am - 9pm; Brew City Car Show; Griffin Chev Metro Auto
June 13, 2020; 9am - 3pm; OCC Road Trip, Lap around Lake Geneva; Please sign up here.
June 27, 2020 8:30am - 11am; Mequon Parade before the Fourth.
June 27, 2020 10:30am - 11:30am; Grafton Independence Day Parade, Please sign up here.
June 28, 2020; Amerifest Car Show; Spring Creek Church Campus. Please sign up here.
July 4, 2020; 8am to noon; Cedarburg 4th of July Parade; Please sign up here.
July 4, 2020; 12:30pm to 2:30pm; Brown Deer Parade; Please sign up here.
July 11, 2020; 8am - 3pm; OCC Road Trip Baraboo Run; Please sign up here.
July 14th thru Jul 19th 2020, Black Hills Corvette Classic. Please Sign Up Here.
July 18, 2020 8:30am to noon; Port Washington Fish Day Parade; Please sign up here.
July 18, 2020; 12:30pm to 4pm; Port Washington Fish Day Car Show; Please sign up here.
August 15, 2020; 8am to 2p; OCC Road Trip; Lakeshore Run; Please sign up here.
August 20 - 21; St Jude Corvette Drive and Fund Raiser; Please sign up here.
Aug 25, 2020 5pm - 8pm; The Nines Brew City Car show; more TBD
September 12, 2020; 4pm - 9pm; OCC Bon Fire at Giese's; More TBD
September 26, 2020; 8am - 2pm; OCC Road Trip, More TBD
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2020 OZAUKEE CORVETTE CLUB ROAD TRIPS

Greetings Covettee-ers,

Happy spring! Ol' Blue is out of winter storage and at home in the garage – ready to take to the streets on nice days (as long as there's no road salt). Is it me or have we have some earlier than normal nice days? I know, I know – we've lived at these latitudes long enough not to expect snow until after tax day. But I also know of at least three members that have new Corvettes this year, ready for your inspection at Wayne's and I can't help being optimistic.

Just in case you haven't noticed, the website calendar is being populated by a whole lot of club activities this season, not to mention various other non-club activities which are being provided as an FYI. Besides our usual fare of parades and a few car shows, we've added eight driving events this year:

Saturday April 18th – Shakedown Cruise to Mud Creek Coffee in Stockbridge Saturday, May 2nd – Breakfast Cruise to Whispering Orchard Café in Cleveland Saturday May 23rd – Road Trip to Elkhart Lake for Sunset Cruise and dinner Saturday, June 13th – Road Trip – One lap around Lake Geneva and lunch Saturday, July 11th – Road Trip – The Baraboo Run Saturday, August 15th – Road Trip – Follow the Lake Michigan Shoreline north Saturday, September 26th – Road Trip – Details to be announced Saturday, October 10th – Road Trip – Pumpkin Run – cider, fall colors and breakfast

Specifics about the individual events (i.e. time, meeting place, etc.) are noted on the OCC calendar. Please take a look at them or reach out to us with any questions. Also, please use the sign-up sheets or call, text or email if your planning on attending so we can kame reservations and look for you.

Given the all that's happening with this Covid-19, our watchword this year with be flexibility. We may have to make some restaurant and pit stop changes, but we will be driving. A comfy cockpit built for two seems like the perfect place. We hope you're all well and being careful out there.

Bruce & Sally



OZAUKEE CORVETTE CLUB

BOARD/GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES March 11, 2020

MEMBERS ATTENDINGS

Officers and Board Members: Ron G., Jim N., Rich W. Bruce P., Dale D., Gregg G. General Members: Sally P., Mark H., Jan H., Dave B, Nancy B, Sue G.

CALL TO ORDER: Ron G called the meeting to order at 6:03pm.

SECRETARY REPORT/REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF PRIOR MEETING MINUTES: We suspended formal reading of the January minutes as they were already published in the newsletter. Voted to accept.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer, Rich W. provided a detailed financial report which is included with the official minutes and is available to be reviewed by interested members by contacting Rich W. directly. Rich advised all obligations are current and the club remains in a positive cash position with reserves adequate to meet anticipated obligations.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: President Ron G. reported that club membership stands at 64.

ADVERTISING REPORT: Most advertisers renewed by January 1st. As of early March the last advertiser paid their renewal and all advertisers are back.

ACTIVITIES REPORT:

Bruce noted the following planned events:

April 18th Mud Creek Ride; April 25th Road America Comedy night (not a drive); May 2nd Whispering Orchards ride; May 23rd Road America Cruise Night; May 25th West Bend Mem Day Parade; June 13th Ride around Lake Geneva; July 4th Cedarburg & Brown Deer Independence Day parade; Jul 11th Baraboo Run; Jul 18th Port Fish Day parade and car show; Aug 8th Milan Estates OCC Show in Saukville; Aug 15th Lakeshore Cruise to Manty; Sep 26th TBA; Oct 10th Punkin Run. {<u>I understand Bruce is creating a more comprehensive</u> document I heard about after leaving meeting to attend another}

OLD BUSINESS:

We had some discussion about whether Silk Screen Specialists are ready with our new logo. They are indeed, Jim N has already purchased items there with our new logo on it.

NEW BUSINESS:

A.A.H. suspended until Fall due to construction project between 5 corners and Jackson starting April 2020.

Mark H requested we reserve the NW corner of Waynes OCC nights to take a new set of club member/car photos. Please wear logo wear for those photos.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was informally adjourned at 6:55pm

Submitted By: Jim Nowlen, Secretary March 11, 2020



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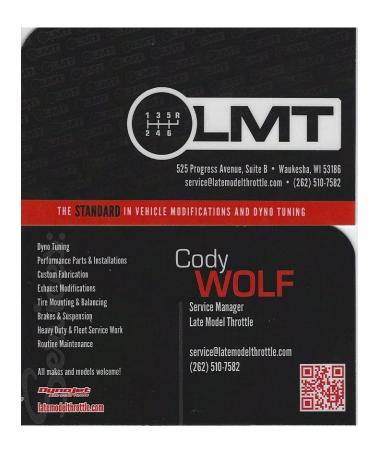
None this month

Member Anniversaries:

- 3/18 PAT & ANN MURRAY
- 4/1 JIM NOWLEN & RICH WITKOWSKI
- 4/13 GREGG GOETZ & ZHALEH BARARI

Member Birthdays:

- 3/2 DOREEN LETTAU
- 3/5 JIM NOWLEN
- 3/10 JANET GRIESMEYER
- 3/10 FRANK HASKEY
- 3/10 GARY BUSH
- 3/21 DAVE DREW
- 4/1 RICH WITKOWSKI
- 4/3 ALLEN HECKENDORF
- 4/13 PETER KOLBACH
- 4/14 PAT MURRAY
- 4/17 BETH ACTERBERG
- 4/26 BEE HECKENDORF
- 4/27 NANCY GILMORE
- 4/28 KEN SAUTER



Classifieds:

<u>Windjammer for a C-5</u>. This attaches to the top of the windshield with a temporary clamp that can be easily be attached or removed. This was donated by one of our members since he now owns a C-7. As it did not sell at the Chili Cookoff, the club is selling it here. The money we receive for this will go to a charity. Windjammer retails for \$215.00, the club is asking \$100.00 <u>or best offer</u>. Please contact Ron Giese 262-628-3721.

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Ozaukee Glass Editorial Page

One topic that was discussed but not acted upon at the October Nomination meeting was whether we should consider adopting two year terms with 4 board members replaced in even numbered years, and 3 replaced in odd numbered years. This would be a by-law change; but we should revisit out bylaws annually anyway to see whether changes make sense. I bring it up here as those of you who were not at the Nomination meeting would not have heard this. Please let any board member know of your thinking on this.

Your trusted OG Editor needs REPORTERS. Please contact Jim at This Link and talk about volunteering to contribute Corvette and club relevant reports to our newsletter. Specifically, I am looking for volunteers to send Jim a short email on each OCC Drive you participate in so I can write stories about our <u>club drives</u>.

Our advertisers are small to medium sized independent businesses. We have <u>member driven</u> <u>advertisers</u>; where members have suggested the advertiser rather than hope companies would reach out to us. Between us, our membership trades at all of these places. Readers, please take time each month to read through our advertisers and do business with them when it makes sense. If you have a business you trade with you think other members would like to know about; please write <u>lim</u> with your suggestion.

Advertiser Shout Out!!! Your editor had two occasions to visit Tires Unlimited; each for new tires for one of our vehicles. He reports that pricing was lower than Tire Rack; and quality of service and attention to detail was stellar. Ron reports fantastic service and response time for our name tags (to be done by Christmas party). Recognition Specialists delivered and gave the club a bit of a volume discount for that large order. The club is always grateful for Flip Side Restaurant in Grafton for use of their back room for our monthly meetings. Members: please send a note to lim here at Ozaukee Glass telling him of your experiences with any of our advertisers.

Covid-19; You'll see we've laid out a summer of activities. Obviously as of publication there is more uncertainty than certainty. We hope all of us will come though this healthy and before long will be able to enjoy each other's company. Meanwhile, stay in touch by phone, email, and social media. OCC does have a <u>Facebook page</u>; feel free to join in there. Otherwise, make it a point to call someone new each day...



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