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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FEBRUARY 2026

HAPPY VALENTINE'S MONTH TO OUR CCRI MEMBERS

Well, here it is February 2026. The month of "LOVE" ... I hope this newsletter finds everyone well, safe, and warm. It is my understanding that so many members are still suffering from either colds, flu, stomach bugs, or recovering from the same. Spring is around the corner, and our March meeting is a month away. I hope by then, we have reached a healing point where everyone is healthy to attend and socialize. I cannot write this newsletter without saying "THANK YOU," to the prayer warriors of this Club for the following people. Of course, everyone is in our prayers, but when intentions are specifically asked from this prayer chain, and good news comes in abundance, I cannot help but to mention those names, and "LOVE THE FACT, THAT GOD IS GOOD". Richard Nelson is healing well, Linda Nelson, looks amazing, Janessa G finished her round of radiation and is doing well, Steve Adams is doing incredible, Warner D had a successful hip surgery and should be doing an Irish Jig real soon. ALL GOOD NEWS.... Of course, sending HEART FELT LOVE AND WISHES to those still struggling, especially Marlene Gallo, Judy Tomlinson, Debbie Papineau, Steve and Rachael Biron and our own Sunshine Connie Lyons who are all healing from "BROKEN HEARTS" You never get over losing a loved one, you just learn how to deal with it.

Yet it is a month of LOVE, and we all need to show more love and compassion daily in this crazy world. Why do we love our Corvettes? It brings a family of beautiful people together, who enjoy the thrill of a good ride, laughs and comradery. No stress, nothing but open road, good music, and friends to share a common interest – OUR MENTAL THERAPY.... The activities committee will be meeting March 1, 2026, and we already have some new things on the calendar. So, stay tuned...we are working hard for a season of fun with our CCRI FAMILY.

Our Meeting is the first Tuesday of the Month, which is March 3, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. In the meantime, if you need a new ride for your sweetheart for Valentine's Day, be sure to visit our sponsor PAUL MASSE and tell him to give you a LOVING DEAL. They deeply appreciate the patronage, and we appreciate them.

Stay well, stay warm, love the one you are with and be sure to tell someone everyday (even if its' your pet) that you love them... I LOVE ALL OF YOU!

Save the Wave

Angels on your shoulders always

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NO EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR THIS MONTH

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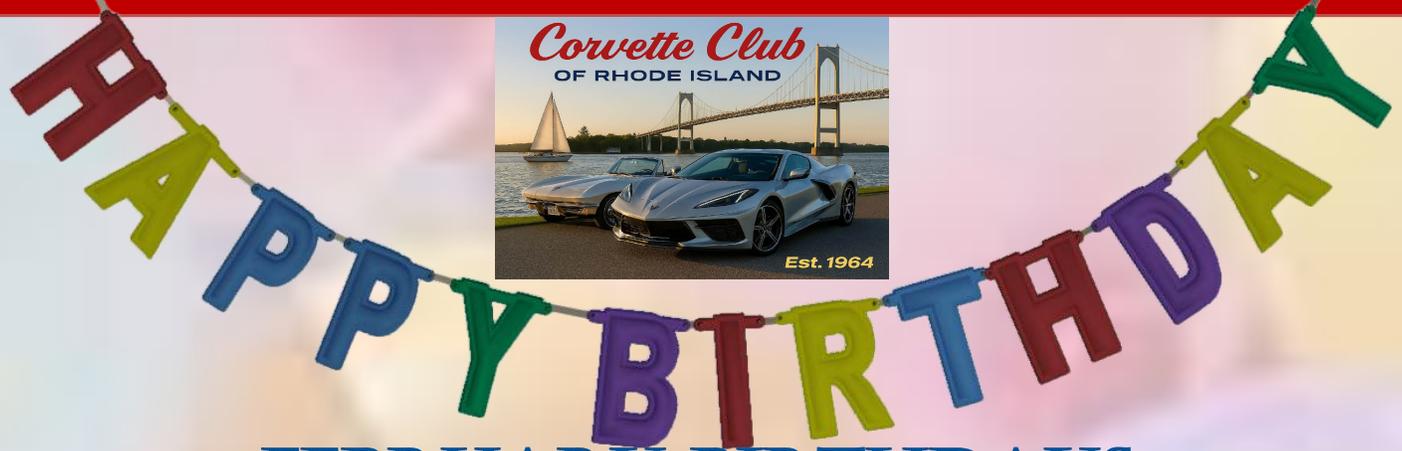
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2ND CCRI MEETING

15TH TERRAZZA SOCIAL (SOLD OUT)



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Robert Beliveau

Mario Branco

Jeff Cerutti

Steve Kazanjian Jr.

James Lapastora

Nicholas Micheletti

Ted Morin

Ron Palmieri

Michael Rucci

Olivia Swenson

Karen Bertrand

Laurie Maguire

Jean Neves

Trisha Cloutier

Debra Pryor

Margaret Alsfeld

Judith Tomlinson

Yvonne Tousignant

NOTE: IF YOUR BIRTHDAYS WERE NOT GIVEN DURING
YOUR APPLICATION PROCEES, WE DO NOT HAVE THEM ON RECORD.

SUNSHINE

If you know of any member that has become ill, under went an operation, had a death in their family, celebrating a special occasion like an anniversary or just needs some cheering-up please contact:

CONNIE LYONS @ conlyons@aol.com 🍷

Recipients of cards for January

Liliana Dolan

Roger Papineau

Marie Alves

Charlene Pascale

Richard Nelson

Patricia Rucci

Warner Dauphinee



**2026 CCRI
MEMBERSHIP TOTALS**

194 Total Memberships

350 Total Members

0 New Associates

29 New Regular Members

**16 Lifetime & Honorary
Members**

**5 NEW MEMBERS TO BE VOTED ON
DURING THE MARCH MEETING**

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ACTIVITIES 2026

ACTIVITY DIRECTORS

Elizabeth Dauphinee

Linda Langlois

*If interested in helping activities,
please contact the directors*





645 DOUGLAS PIKE, SMITHFIELD, RHODE ISLAND

DATE: SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2026

TIME: 10:30 A.M.

CONTACT: LINDA LANGLOIS AT: (401) 743-9693

Or ELIZABETH DAUPHINEE AT: (401) 529-0052

PRICE TO BE PAID IN ADVANCE: \$26.00 PER PERSON

PAYABLE TO: CORVETTE CLUB OF RHODE ISLAND

MAIL TO: MICHAEL PASCALE, 3 OVERLOOK LANE, CHEPACHET, RI 02814

REFERENCE MARCH BRUNCH

This is our first social for 2026, hosted by Elizabeth Dauphinee – all the information is above. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly via text at (401) 369-2881. **PLEASE RSVP TO ANY ONE OF OUR ACTIVITIES DIRECTORS ABOVE.**

LIMITED SEATING TO 35 PEOPLE. MUST PAY IN ADVANCE.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

***IF YOU ARE NOT FEELING WELL AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT OR PRIOR TO – PLEASE CONSIDER NOT ATTENDING FOR THE SAFETY OF OTHERS.**

THANK YOU.

CORVETTE CLUB DINNER

MAY 20TH - 5:30PM

PLACE: MARCHETTI'S RESTAURANT

1463 PARK AVE. CRANSTON

Special parking for your Corvette

Limit 20 spaces

Separate Checks

Sign up by May 5th required

Email flanouel@verizon.net with

any questions



2026 Back to the Beach

6/12/2026-6/13/2026

We're happy to announce that the Corvette display downtown and the parade will take place this year.

This is per Ralph's request.

Important Note:

All attendees will need to book their own motel rooms for the weekend (2026 only).

Friday

- Evening: Check into motels
- 6:00–7:00 PM: Fielders choice for ice cream
- 7:30 PM – ? DJ Mark (that's me!) at the Atlantis

Saturday

- 9:00 AM: Meet at Aquaboggan to line up for the caravan downtown
- 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM: Corvette display downtown
- 12:30 PM: Parade departs downtown
- 3:00 PM: Celebration of Life for Sandie on the beach at the Atlantis
- 4:30 PM: Meet at Aquaboggan Water Park for Happy Hour and Dinner
- Cost: \$31.50 per person
- A few trophies will be awarded

See the Facebook page for further information

<https://www.facebook.com/share/g/1C6XE8wqf2/>

GO ON YOUR OWN EVENT



The Northeast Region invites you to join us in
Syracuse, New York
for the 67th Annual NCCC Convention,
June 20-27, 2026.

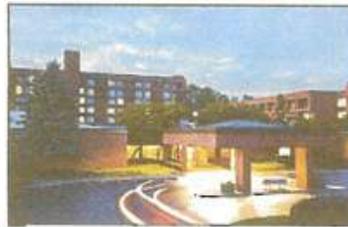


THINGS TO DO:

Niagara Falls
Watkins Glen
Baseball Hall of Fame
Adirondack Mountains
Corning Museum of Glass
Lucy & Desi Museum
National Comedy Center
Finger Lakes
Thousand Islands

HOST HOTEL

DoubleTree - East Syracuse
where the cookies are always warm



EVENTS TO ENTER:

Judged Concours - indoor
Car Show
High Speed
Low Speed
Matching Times Drags
Class Drags
Bracket Drags
Rallye
Funkhana



Pineview Run

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PROPOSED TENTATIVE SCHEDULE - 2026 NCCC CONVENTION - SYRACUSE

Friday – June 19, 2026

Set-up Day: Registration, Tech, Corvette Mall, Signage, etc.

Saturday – June 20, 2026

Registration: 9 am – 5 pm
Tech: 9 am – 5 pm
Corvette Mall: 10 am – 4 pm
Hospitality Room: 10 am -5 pm

Sunday – June 21, 2026

Registration: 9 am – 5 pm
Tech: 9 am – 5 pm
Corvette Mall – 10 am – 5 pm
Hospitality Room – 10 am – 5 pm

Watkins Glen

Judged Concours: 7 am – 12.00 pm
Peoples Car Show: 7 am – 12.00 pm
Welcome Party/Buffer Dinner: 6:30 pm – 11 pm (BAND)

Monday – June 22, 2026

Day Pass sales: 8 am – 9 am
Corvette Mall: 10 am – 3 pm
***Bus Trip(s): **CORNING GLASS**
Hospitality Room: 10 am – 4 pm
High Speed: 8:30 am – 11:30 am / 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
"Food available for purchase at track"

****Champions Banquet 6:00 – 10:30 pm 2025 National Competitor Awards**

Tuesday – June 23, 2026

Day Pass sales: 8 am – 9 am
Corvette Mall – 10am - 4pm
***Bus Trip(s): **COOPERSTOWN/ Glenora Winery**
Hospitality Room – 10 am – 4 pm
Low Speed – 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
"Food available to purchase at track"
Pool Party/ snack- 6 pm – 8 pm**
Watch for more updates on this party
Valve Cover Races/Model Cars – 7:30 pm - ???

Wednesday – June 24, 2026

Day Pass sales: 8 am – 9 am
Corvette Mall 10 am – 3:30 pm
Bus Trip(s) – **TBD NIAGARA FALLS
Hospitality Room – 10 am – 5 pm
Drag Day: MTT, Class, Bracket – 8:30 am - ???
"Concession stand at drags for food purchases"
FREE NIGHT

Thursday – June 25, 2026

Day Pass sales: 8 am – 9 am
Corvette Mall – 10am- 4pm
Hospitality Room – 10 am – 4 pm
** Bus Trip: **1000 Island**
Rallye: 8:30 am – Noon
Funkhana: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Theme Party: 6:00 pm – 10:30 pm Americas' 250th Birthday
6:00 Food Served-Bufferet
6:30 Entertainment-**Hastings Duo**

Wear your Red White & Blue. Prize for best outfit

Friday – June 26, 2026

Breakfast – Convention Awards: 8 am – 12 pm
Convention week competition awards
Club Attendance Award
Club Distance Award
Passing of the Convention Flag

Saturday – June 27, 2026 –PAY THE BILL AND HEAD HOME

This month, I'd like to discuss the Z06 option.

The Z06 option for the Chevrolet Corvette first started in 1963 as a special performance equipment package (RPO Z06) for the second-generation (C2) Sting Ray, designed by Zora Arkus-Duntov for racing. It featured heavy-duty brakes, stiffer suspension, and a 36.5-gallon fuel tank, with only 199 units produced.

Key Historical Details:

The Original (1963): Known as the "tanker" or "big tank" cars, the 1963 Z06 was developed to circumvent an American auto manufacturer's ban on racing.

Hiatus and Return: After 1963, the Z06 designation was not used again until it returned for the C5 generation (2001–2004) as a high-performance, lightweight version of the C5 Corvette.

Modern Era: The Z06 has since become a staple in subsequent generations (C6, C7, and C8).

C5

The C5 Corvette Z06 (2001-2004) was designed as a track-focused, lightweight version of the base C5, offering higher performance, stiffer suspension, and a more rigid chassis. While they share the same basic platform, the Z06 features a more powerful engine, different gearing, and less weight, providing a more aggressive driving experience.

Here is a breakdown of the differences:

Engine and Performance

Engine: The Z06 is equipped with the LS6 V8 engine, while the base model uses the LS1.^

Horsepower: The 2001 Z06 produced 385 hp, later increased to 405 hp for 2002-2004, whereas the base LS1 produced 345-350 hp.

Acceleration & Gearing: The Z06 features shorter gearing and a "shot peened" transmission for faster acceleration.

Exhaust: The Z06 features a lighter Titanium cat-back exhaust system.

Structure and Weight

- **Body Style:** All C5 Z06 models feature a "Fixed Roof Coupe" (FRC) design, which is stiffer and lighter than the coupe (removable top) or convertible models.
- **Weight Reduction:** The Z06 is approximately 150 lbs lighter than the base model, achieved through thinner glass, reduced sound deadening, and lightweight components.

Handling and Suspension

- **Suspension:** The Z06 has firmer, more aggressive suspension tuning compared to the base model, designed for track use.
- **Wheels/Tires:** Z06 models came with specific lightweight forged wheels and larger tires.
- **Brakes:** Both feature four-wheel disc brakes, but the Z06 includes red brake calipers and, in some years, specialized cooling ducts.

Appearance and Interior

- **Badging:** The Z06 has "Z06" fender badges and Z06 seat stitching.
- **Seats:** The Z06 seats are generally considered less supportive/comfortable than the optional "sport seats" available on the base model.

Instrumentation: The Z06 includes a Head-Up Display (HUD) as standard (2002-2004).

Quick Comparison Table

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| • Feature | Base C5 (Coupe/Conv) | C5 Z06 (2002-2004) |
| • Engine | 5.7L LS1 V8 (350 hp) | 5.7L LS6 V8 (405 hp) |
| • Roof | Removable Targa or Convertible | Fixed Roof Only (Stiffer) |
| • Weight | Heavier | ~150 lbs Lighter |
| • Exhaust | Steel | Titanium |
| • Gearing | Standard Ratio | Shorter (Faster Accel) |

C6

The 2006–2013 C6 Z06 is a significantly more track-focused, high-performance machine compared to the base C6 Corvette (2005–2013). While they share a similar silhouette, the Z06 is built on a lighter aluminum frame with a larger 7.0L LS7 engine (505 hp) compared to the 6.0L LS2 (400 hp) or 6.2L LS3 (430 hp) in the base model.

Here is a breakdown of the key differences:

1. Engine and Powertrain

- **Z06:** Features the hand-built 7.0-liter LS7 V8 engine, producing 505 horsepower and 470 lb-ft of torque. It uses a dry-sump oiling system designed for high-performance track driving.
- **Base C6:** Uses the 6.0L LS2 (2005-2007) or 6.2L LS3 (2008-2013) engine, offering 400 or 430 horsepower, respectively.
- **Transmission:** The Z06 only came with a manual transmission, whereas the base model offered both automatic and manual options.

2. Body and Chassis

- **Aluminum Frame:** The C6 Z06 uses an aluminum frame rather than the steel frame used in the base model, resulting in a lighter overall car.
- **Widebody Design:** The Z06 features wider front (carbon fiber) and rear (fiberglass) fenders to accommodate larger tires.
- **Roof:** The Z06 has a fixed roof for increased rigidity, while the base coupe has a removable targa top.
- **Weight Reduction:** The Z06 includes weight-saving measures like a lighter windshield and less sound insulation.

3. Handling and Braking

- **Suspension:** The Z06 has stiffer springs, shocks, and larger stabilizer bars.
- **Brakes:** The Z06 features larger 6-piston front and 4-piston rear calipers with cross-drilled rotors.
- **Tires:** The Z06 is equipped with wider, stickier tires (275/35ZR18 front, 325/30ZR19 rear).

4. Interior and Performance

- **Performance:** The Z06 hits 0-60 mph in roughly 3.6-3.9 seconds and has a higher top speed, with performance heavily weighted toward track use.

Interior: The Z06 focuses on a "raw" driving experience with less sound deadening, while the base model provides more comfort.

Feature **Base C6 (2008+)** **C6 Z06 (2006-2013)**

Engine **6.2L LS3 V8** **7.0L LS7 V8**

Horsepower **430 hp** **505 hp**

Frame **Steel** **Aluminum**

Width **Narrow Body** **Wide Body**

Roof **Removable Targa** **Fixed Roof**

Oiling **Wet Sump** **Dry Sump**

C7

The primary difference between a base model C7 Corvette (Stingray) and the Z06 is that the Stingray is a daily-usable, high-performance grand tourer, while the Z06 is a race-bred, high-revving track beast.

The Z06 features a radically different engine, a significantly wider body, advanced aerodynamics, and superior suspension for track performance, whereas the Stingray focuses on a balance of speed and comfort.

Here is the breakdown of the differences, based on the current C8 generation:

Detailed Comparison

1. Engine and Performance

- **Base (Stingray):** 6.2L LT1 V8 (Naturally Aspirated), 455 hp / 460 lb-ft torque (460 hp with optional performance exhaust).
- **Z06:** 6.2L LT4 V8 (Supercharged), 650 hp / 650 lb-ft torque.
- **Acceleration:** The Z06 is capable of 0-60 mph in under 3 seconds.
- **Cooling:** The Z06 includes significantly more cooling vents and systems to manage heat on a track (especially 2017+ models).

2. Handling and Chassis

- **Widebody:** The Z06 is 4 inches wider, providing better grip.
- **Suspension:** The Z06 has a stiffer suspension designed for high-speed cornering.
- **Z07 Package:** A common upgrade for the Z06 is the Z07 Performance Package, which adds even more aggressive tires (Michelin Sport Cup 2), carbon-ceramic brakes, and enhanced aerodynamics.

3. Styling and Design

- **Exterior:** The Z06 has a unique front grill, a distinct hood with a larger bulge to fit the supercharger, wider rear fenders, and often comes with clear taillights.
- **Interior:** The Z06 often features more carbon fiber trim, different performance seat options (Competition Sport seats), and an, 8-speed automatic or 7-speed manual.

- Quick Comparison Table: C7 Base (Stingray) vs. C7 Z06

Feature	C7 Base (Stingray)	C7 Z06
Engine	6.2L LT1 V8 (Naturally Aspirated)	6.2L LT4 V8 (Supercharged)
Horsepower	455 - 460 hp	650 hp
Torque	455 - 460 lb-ft	650 lb-ft
0-60 mph	~3.6 - 3.8 seconds	~2.95 seconds
Body/Fenders	Standard	Wider (approx. 3 inches)
Tires (Rear)	285mm	335mm
Weight	~3,300 - 3,450 lbs	~3,520 - 3,560 lbs

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- **Base Model (Stingray):** Uses a 6.2L LT2 V8 engine producing 490–495 horsepower. It is designed for torque and daily driving, with excellent 0–60 times of roughly 2.9–3.0 seconds.
- **Z06 Model:** Features a 5.5L LT6 V8 engine with a flat-plane crank that produces 670 horsepower. It revs much higher (8,600 rpm) and is designed for track performance, reaching 0–60 in 2.6 seconds.
- **Sound:** The Z06 has a distinct, high-pitched "exotic" scream compared to the traditional deep muscle car rumble of the Stingray.

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2. Exterior and Body

Width: The Z06 is 3.6 inches wider than the Stingray to accommodate massive tires for better grip.

Front Intake: The Z06 has larger front grilles to feed three extra radiators for better cooling.

Exhaust: The Z06 uses a unique quad-center exhaust system, while the Stingray has two outlets on each corner.

Side Intakes: The Z06 has a different "wishbone" shaped side intake trim, while the Stingray uses a "boomerang" shape.

3. Handling and Tires

Tires: The Z06 has wider, stickier Michelin Pilot Sport tires (345/25ZR21 rear vs 305/30ZR20 on the Stingray).

Suspension: The Z06 is much stiffer, designed for agility rather than comfort.

Brakes: The Z06 comes with larger Brembo brakes (six-piston front vs four-piston on the Stingray).

4. Comparison Summary

Feature Base C8 (Stingray) Z06 C8

Horsepower 490 - 495 HP 670 HP

Engine 6.2L LT2 (Cross-plane) 5.5L LT6 (Flat-plane)

0-60 MPH ~2.9 seconds 2.6 seconds

Width Narrower 3.6 inches wider

Purpose Street/Touring Track/Aggressive

Which one is for you?

Choose the Stingray if: You want a daily driver, better fuel economy, a more comfortable ride, and huge performance at a lower price point.

Choose the Z06 if: You plan to take the car to the track, want the best possible handling and braking, prefer a high-revving exotic sound, and want the most aggressive look.

I know many of you have valuable insights and suggestions as well. If you'd like to share your tips or ideas, please feel free to reach out!

****Please send tips to:****

Rick Lyons

rick5838@aol.com

***Be sure to include "Just The Tip" in the subject line.**

Corvette Club

of Rhode Island



Apparel Sales will begin at **6pm** on
meeting nights.

Get there early to get some great deals!

CONTACT DAN LANDRY @

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FOR ANY OF YOUR APPAREL QUESTIONS OR NEEDS

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\$37.00

Port Authority Ladies Diamond Jacquard Polo

A subtle diamond jacquard texture gives this moisture-wicking polo a finer, elevated appearance. Sleek self-fabric shoulder and side panel piecing make it perfect for any occasion.

- 5-ounce, 100% polyester
- Single-button Y-neck placket
- Open hem sleeves
- Slightly curved hem

Sizes XS – 4XL

\$35.00



OGIO Endurance Sonar Full Zip Jacket

This versatile full-zip jacket contains 90% polyester that resists rips and tears. Wear the jacket as the weather gets cool or as an inner layer for cold days.

- 90/10 poly/spandex
- Zip-through cadet collar
- Ruching at collar (pleated)
- Set-in sleeves
- Mitten cuffs for warmth – front pockets
- Front pockets

Sizes XS-4XL

\$70.00

J America Ladies Relay Crew Sweatshirt

Soft and buttery material on the inside, this sweatshirt features thick relay bands at the cuff and hem with white trim. Its contains all around great materials and washes well. Made with 60% cotton, 40% polyester sueded fleece.

Sizes: S-2XL

\$47.00



Port Authority Colorblock Soft Shell Jacket

Warmth with style—for a great price. Colorblocking on the sides/sleeves with a microfleece interior.

- 100% polyester woven shell bonded to a water-resistant film insert and microfleece lining
- 1000MM fabric waterproof rating
- Wind-resistant and water-repellent
- Front zippered pockets

Sizes XS – 4XL

\$65.00



Port Authority Ladies City Stretch Top

Great top for the ladies who want something different. This Easy Care style is snag-resistant and wicks moisture while also resisting odors.

- 5.6-ounce, 94/6 poly/spandex jersey
- Stretch
- Y-neck collar
- Full-button placket
- Pearlized smoke buttons
- Longer length short sleeves
- Slightly curved hem
- Drop tail hem

Sizes XS – 4XL

\$38.00



Devon Jones 3-Button Polo

- 6.8 oz., 100% Peruvian pima cotton
- Dura-Pearl buttons
- Rib knit cuffs
- Feminine fit
- Delicate Y-Collar
- Two-button placket

Sizes XS – 3XL

\$50.00

Gildan V-Neck T-Shirt

Perfect easy-spirit summer tee shirt to wear casual or otherwise.

- 5.3 ounce – 90 cotton/10 poly
- Taped neck and shoulders
- Mitered 1/2" v-neck collar
- Semi-fitted side-seamed body
- Cap sleeves

Sizes S-3XL

\$23.00



Eddie Bauer Heather Stretch Fleece Jacket

This smooth-faced, brushed-back fleece jacket is sophisticated-yet has a sense for adventure. Black contrast details at side panels with stretch binding at cuffs and hem. Front zippered pockets. Made of 5.6-ounce, 95/5 poly/spandex fleece.

Sizes: XS – 4XL

\$80.00





Harriton Women's Denim Shirt

- 100% cotton denim
- Khaki double-needle topstitching
- Signature twill tape at neck
- Fully constructed front placket
- Signature horn-style buttons with Harriton logo and contrast thread
- Spread collar
- Garment washed for extra softness
- Subtle shade variances are a natural part of the washing process

Sizes S – 3 XL

Price: \$42.00



Harriton Fleece Vest

- 100% spun soft polyester fleece with non-pill finish on surface
- Midweight fleece – highly breathable
- Bottom hem with drawcord and toggles
- Back yoke
- Binding on arm openings
- Front-zip pockets
- Center front full-zip closure

S-4XL

\$40.00



Port Authority Men's Denim Shirt

With a more substantial stonewashed fabric and extra-durable seams, this heavyweight denim shirt is built to embroider beautifully.

- 7.5-ounce, 100% cotton
- Double and triple-needle stitching
- Button-down collar
- Horn-tone buttons
- Left chest pocket
- Rounded adjustable cuffs

Sizes XS – 4 XL

Price: \$45.00



Charles River Adirondack Fleece Pullover

A great pullover to have on hand when the cooler weather comes your way.

You'll enjoy this 100% polyester Loftex™ anti-pill fleece. Made from a very high quality, plush poly fleece with ultra-soft nap and cozy feel. Features black contrast zipper, black contrast fleece on inside of collar for wind resistance and angled front zipper pockets, elasticized cuffs and open hem with shockcord drawstring.

Sizes XS-3XL

\$50.00

Sport-Tek® Super Heavyweight Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt

On or off the field, it's the most warmth you can get out of a sweatshirt. This super heavyweight fleece is constructed for durability and comfort. It features self-fabric hood lining, rib knit cuffs, hem and side gussets with spandex and front pouch pockets.

Sizes XS-4XL

\$55.00



Hanes® Long Sleeve Beefy T-Shirt

This tee shirt spells out comfort for everyday wear and is known as the best in tee shirts as far as quality. Made of USA spun cotton with double-needle stitching throughout and rib knit cuffs. It's a thick cotton perfect for the fall and sure to last a long time.

Sizes S-3XL

\$27.00



Port Authority Colorblock Soft Shell Jacket

Warmth with style—for a great price. Colorblocking on the sides and sleeves with a microfleece interior.

- 100% polyester woven shell bonded to a water-resistant film insert and microfleece lining
- 1000MM fabric waterproof rating
- Wind-resistant and water-repellent
- Front zippered pockets

Sizes XS – 4XL

\$65.00

Devon & Jones Men's Pima Piqué Short-Sleeve Polo

A great summer go-to shirt for all your club outings. Comes in royal blue and white.

- 6.8 oz. 100% Peruvian Pima cotton
- Comfort of luxurious Pima cotton
- Dura-Pearl buttons
- Rib knit cuffs
- White & True Royal

Sizes XS – 4XL

\$50.00



Port Authority Long Sleeve Polo

Made of soft, smooth, durable 100% cotton pique, our EZCotton Polo boasts an updated fit and a collar that resists curling. It also resists shrinking, wrinkling, pilling and fading with ease.

- 6.2 ounce, 100% cotton
- Flat knit collar and cuffs
- 3-button placket
- Dyed to match buttons

SX-4XL

\$45.00



Harriton Fleece Vest

- 100% spun soft polyester fleece with non-pill finish on surface
- Midweight fleece – highly breathable
- Bottom hem with drawcord and toggles
- Back yoke
- Binding on arm openings
- Front-zip pockets
- Center front full-zip closure

S-4XL

\$40.00



Gildan Ultra Cotton T-Shirt

Round Neck Tee shirt perfect for the upcoming summer for comfort and all around shirt.

- 6.1 ounce, 100% cotton
- Seamless double-needle 7/8 " collar
- Double-needle sleeves and hem
- Taped neck and shoulders

Sizes S-4XL

\$23.00

Gildan V-Neck Tee Shirt

- 4.5 oz., 100% ringspun cotton
- Mitered V-neck
- Double-needle stitched sleeves and bottom hem
- Seamless double-needle collar
- Taped neck and shoulders

Sizes XS-3XL

\$27.00



Unisex Sport-Tek Raglan Wind Shirt

- 100% polyester with jersey lining/mesh insets at gussets
- Rib knit v-neck collar
- Raglan sleeves
- Half elastic, half self-fabric cuffs for comfort
- Colorblocked side panels
- Left side seam zipper for easy on/off
- Side pockets
- Drawcord hem with toggles

Sizes XS-6XL

\$45.00



Accessories



Wine Tote

This wine tote is made to order for those sunset cruises or CCRI's getaway weekends. It has a convenient shoulder strap, front pocket, inner divider for two smaller bottles or one large bottle of liquor.

\$23.00

Umbrella

This umbrella is perfect for when members run into rainy weather during a one day excursion or weekend getaways. It can accommodate two people, is windproof with upper flaps, includes two closure straps (upper and lower) and has a cover.

\$30.00



Canvas Tote

Perfect for club getaways, sunset cruises & events

- 15.5 oz./100% cotton body
- Exterior front pocket
- Interior hanging pocket with hook/loop closure to secure valuables
- Dimensions: 13.25"H X 12"H X 6.25"D

\$40.00



CCRI Car Flag

Perfect to clip to your car when participating in parades, car shows, caravans etc.

\$10.00



Cap Collection



New Era Shadow Stretch Heather Cap

- 96% polyester and 4% spandex
- shadow stretch
- mesh with mid-closure stretch fit.
- Sizes: S/M – M/L - XL

\$20.00

Augusta Sportswear Athletic Mesh Two-Color Visor



- 100% polyester athletic mesh with tricot backing
- Three royal blue panels
- Contrasting white bill edge
- Pre-curved bill
- Hook-and-loop fastener

\$20.00

Cap America Lightweight Low Profile Cap

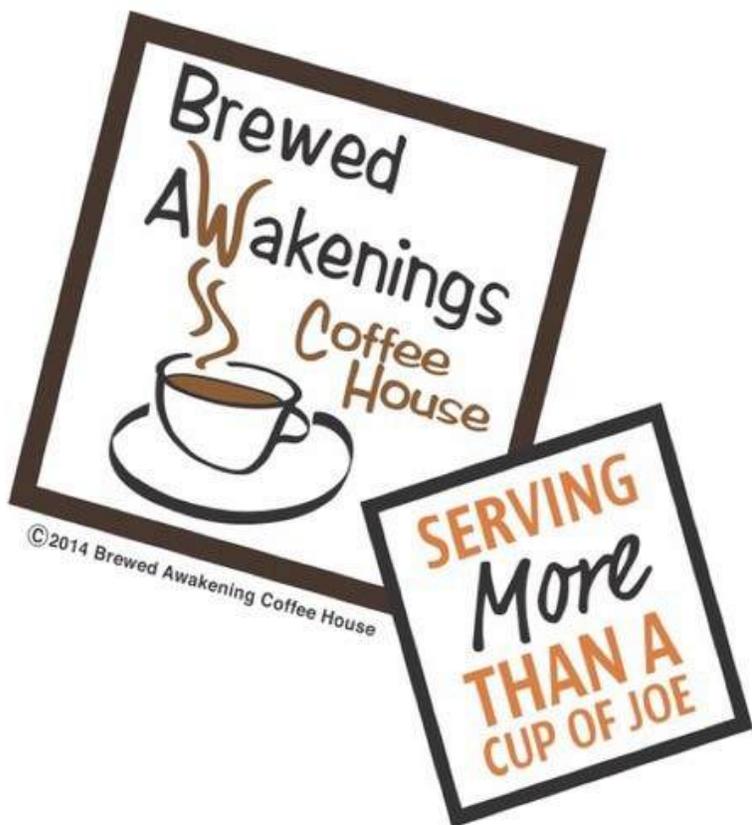


Six panel structured cap and lightweight brushed cotton twill.

Fabric strap with two piece hook & loop closure.

\$20.00

Brewed Awakenings



A Special Thank You to the Management and Staff of Brewed Awakenings on Rt 2 in Warwick for their continued support of CCRI Members. Any member who can join us on Tuesdays at 9:00AM is welcome. Sit with a brew and have a great time. The management has extended our table to accommodate our growing numbers.



RANDY FLOCK'S NCM NEWS

Individual Member - Price \$65.00

- Membership Card
- NCM member lapel pin
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- Access to Members Only section of website, including Monthly Corvette Calendar Wallpaper and Special Videos

Family - \$100.00 (spouse and children under 18 years old)

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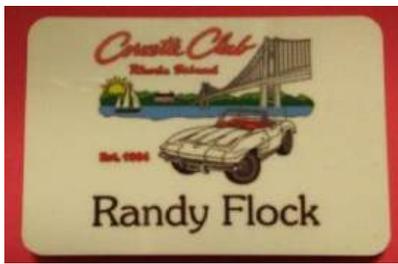
Please note, your membership benefits will begin immediately. It takes approximately four weeks to completely process your membership and mail out your material.

www.corvettemuseum.org/support/membership/



CCRI members joining the NCM for the first time will only pay \$48.75 for individual membership for the first year.

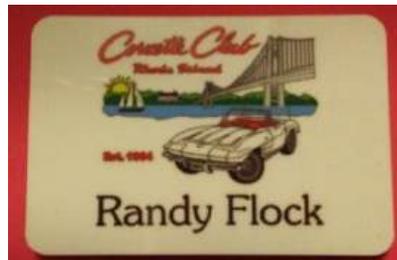
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Who's who at CCRI

With over 300 members it's becoming a challenge to learn names. Help us by purchasing a name tag and wearing it to meetings, shows, socials.

Name badges are 3" x 2" with a magnetic backing and cost \$11.00 each



Your Name _____ (please print)

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Corvette insurance doesn't necessarily mean classic car insurance or antique car insurance. In fact, we insure new cars as well as our loved classics. Do you own a new Corvette that is driven rarely to car shows, club events, parades, or just for a nice trip to the coast? No problem, we can insure that! Below you will find several reasons we feel you'll like what we have to offer.

Broad Usage : The National Corvette Museum and NCM Insurance Agency love to see the cars driven. We highly encourage you to take your car out on a nice day and enjoy it.

Mileage Options: We have several mileage plans to meet your needs. Pick the best plan that fits your vehicle and save money, Plus, we offer rollover miles.

Agreed Value : We only write collector car insurance or Corvette insurance policies on an Agreed Value basis. Once we agree on a value for your vehicle, that's what you'll get in the event of a total loss. We will not depreciate or question the vehicle's value.

Claims : If you were to have a claim you can take your car to the repair shop of your choice. You know who will do the best job on your prized possession.

Lower Cost : Our collector car insurance or classic car insurance will often be cheaper than your standard auto insurance companies, Plus, with the Agreed Value coverage, you know you'll be fairly compensated.

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New Car? : Any new addition to your collection is covered for 30 days and up to \$50, 000.00.

Trip Interruption Coverage : If your vehicle ever breaks down while you are on a trip more than 50 miles from home we will pay up to \$600.00 for transportation, lodging and expenses.

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The National Corvette Museum is licensed by the Kentucky Department of Charitable Gaming under license number ORG0000854. At this time, we offer purchasers **located in Kentucky** the ability to purchase raffle tickets on their personal computers, mobile devices and on-site at the National Corvette Museum and NCM Motorsports Park.

To purchase a raffle ticket online, you must be at least 18 years of age and be **physically located in Kentucky** at the time of purchase. You do not have to be a resident of Kentucky to participate.

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YOU MUST HAVE ACCESS TO A PRINTER AT THE TIME THAT YOU CREATE THE ORDER.

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Alternatively, you may download an **Order Form** from this site and type in your information before sending to the NCM for processing.



National Corvette Museum



The Mission Continues - The Momentum Builds

This past fall the NCM began construction on a new Collections Facility, making a significant step forward in how they teach, protect and share the story of America's Sport Car.

Located on the Museum campus, the 66,000 square foot facility will feature climate controlled preservation areas, secure archival storage, and dedicated conservation space. Beginning in early 2027, and for the first time in the NCM history, guest will be able to experience guided tours that will provide a closer look at how preservation happens at the Museum.

So far, individuals and families have pledged more than \$2.5 million in support of this effort. Their commitment is helping the Museum to make steady progress. Every donation big or small helps to continue the dream.

Donate at: www.corvettemuseum.org/donate/



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Use Code: RHODEISLAND and receive 50% bonus entries

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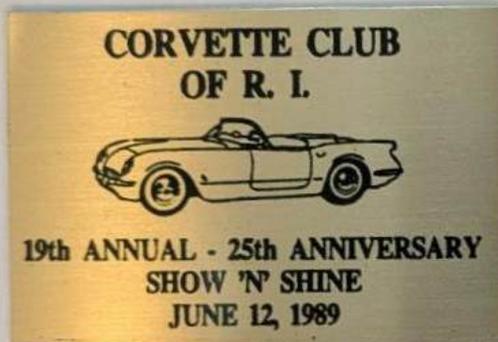
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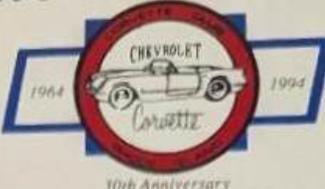


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23rd ANNUAL
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The 25th Show and Shine
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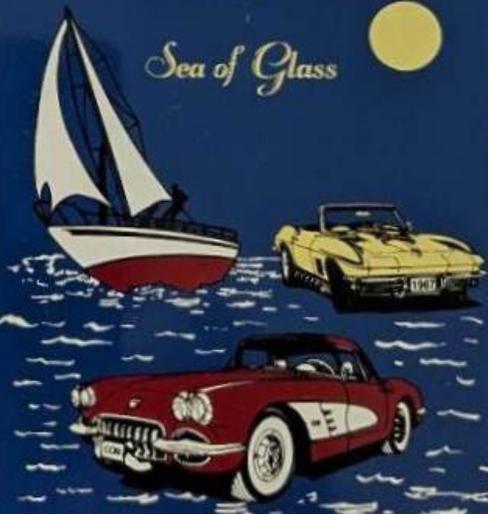
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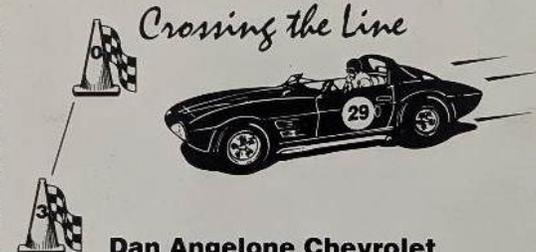
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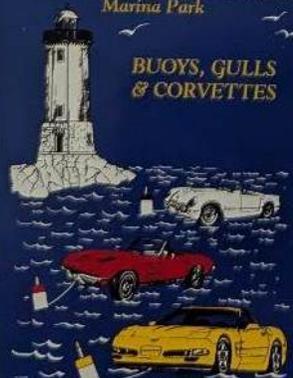
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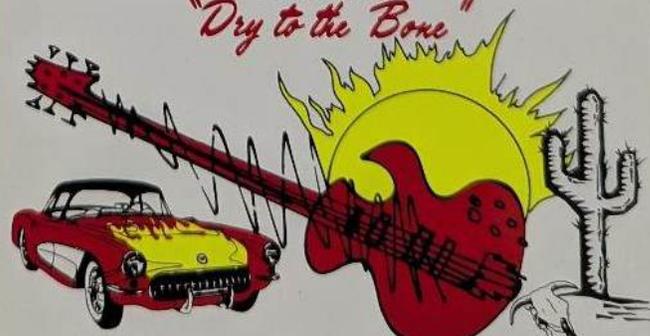
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30TH SHOW & SHINE - YEAR 2000
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 PRESENTS
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31ST ANNUAL SHOW & SHINE - AUG. 2001
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Corvette Club of Rhode Island
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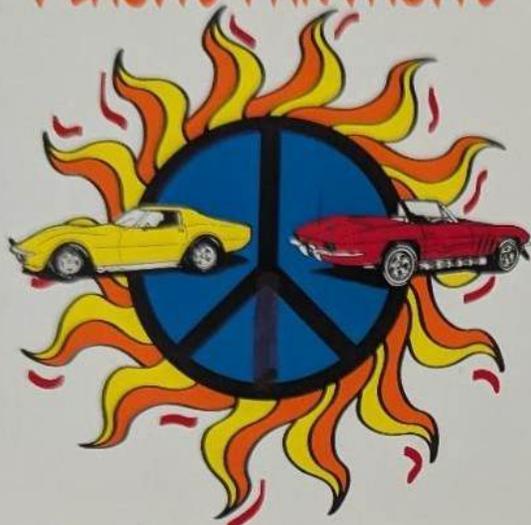
34TH SHOW AND SHINE AUGUST 2004
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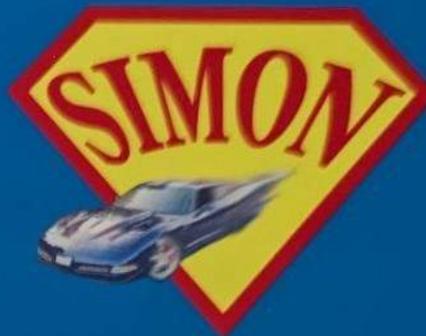
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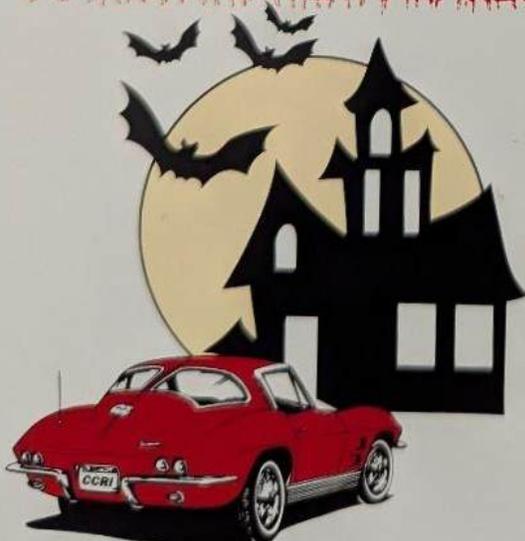
"SUPER HEROES"



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Please mail to Membership Director's address below)

Are you the owner of a **CORVETTE**? And, are you as proud as you should be in driving the only true American sports car? If the answer to these questions is "yes", then you should be considering membership in the

Corvette Club of Rhode Island.

CCRI has been a very active club for over fifty years and we would like to extend an invitation to you as a Corvette owner to join our club and participate in its activities. We are sure you would enjoy meeting with fellow enthusiasts to share our common interests.

Our events include cruising, fund raising, parties, trips and many other competitive and social activities. Members receive a monthly newsletter, the "**Vette Set Gazette**" and a membership card. Club jackets and shirts are also available to members at an additional cost if requested.

It is hoped that you will accept our invitation to drop in at a monthly meeting or attend one of our events listed in the monthly newsletter, or on our website here: <https://corvetteclubofrhodeisland.com/events1/>

Club meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30--currently at the

Shepherd of the Valley Church, 604 Seven Mile Road (off Scituate Avenue), Hope, RI

For further information, please contact: Membership Director: Guy Comastra 401 658-1903



Corvette Club of Rhode Island



Membership dues are \$50.00 per year payable upon submission of this application for approval. If the application is not approved, the \$50.00 is fully refundable.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age and possess a GM production Corvette to apply.

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ D. O. B. (month/day ONLY): ____/____/____

CO-MEMBER: _____ D. O. B. (month/day ONLY): ____/____/____

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E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

YEAR OF CAR(s): _____ BODY STYLE: _____ ENGINE: _____ COLOR: _____

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Applicants need not be present upon submission of application, but are requested to attend one business or social meeting previous to being voted into the Club. CCRI reserves the right to reject any application that is not in compliance with CCRI membership guidelines delineated in the Club By-Laws. Upon approval of your application, you will receive your CCRIMembership Card and a subscription to the Club's Monthly Newsletter, the "Vette Set Gazette. Dues for members, including the co-member of a duly elected member, shall be \$50.00 per calendar year.

Please make checks payable to **The Corvette Club of R.I. or CCRI**

Mail to Membership Director Guy Comastra- 81 Duchess Rd, Cumberland, RI 02864

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