2023 — Welcome October

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Official Newsletter of the Corvette Club of Richmond









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Message from the President of CCR – Paul Murman

Greetings,

Here's a thought. There are only 86 shopping days left before Christmas, and only 69 days until the CCR Christmas Party, which is Saturday, December 9, 2023. The party will be held again at Oaklawn. There is a cost to attend, but all the proceeds will be used to benefit a local charity. You must register and pay by November 10, 2023 to attend the event.

The other Christmas event is an out of town event in Virginia Beach. Since most attendees will stay overnight, a block of hotel rooms has been set aside, and they are filling up fast. Dinner at a local restaurant is scheduled. After dinner, there will be a social gathering and games at the hotel. If you are planning on joining the group at the restaurant, you should register so there will be a place for you.

As a special reminder, the October meeting will be held at King's Korner Restaurant located at the Chesterfield County Airport. The meeting begins at 7:30 PM, and the restaurant opens at 5:00 PM. Come early and share a meal with your fellow CCR members. There is no reserved seating at the restaurant for CCR members, it is first come, first served basis. As in the past, CCR will offset some of the cost of the meal. More information is available on our website.

During the October meeting, you will be nominating the candidates who will be running for office as your Executive Board. At the November meeting, we will be electing the 2024 Executive Board. Many of the current Board members have agreed to run again, and I am grateful that they are willing to continue to serve. For the Board members and the support personnel who will be "retiring", they deserve our thanks for their service.

All of those folks have made a special effort to perform their roles well. They have participated in Board meetings, attended general club meetings, performed other assigned tasks, and actively participated in club activities. So please plan on attending these two very important membership meetings.

It is said that life is a journey, so for me, I'd prefer to make the trip in a Corvette with my special gal Gayle as my co-pilot.



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Membership Meeting Place





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October General Membership Meeting

When Fri, October 13, 2023

7:30 PM

Location Kings Korner Restuarant

(Chesterfield Airport) 7511 Airport Dr N. Chesterfield, VA 23237

Registration

Members Meeting

Kings Korner Restaurant Chesterfield Airport 7511 Airfield Dr, N. Chesterfield, VA 23237

The restaurant opens at 5:00 pm ,so if you like to arrive early and enjoy a buffet dinner (\$18.95) and <u>does not</u> include drink, tax and gratuity.



Revs & Rumbles @ the NCM

By Barry Roper, NCM Ambassador / Lifetime Member #2415

Look Here in November For Updates From Barry Roper



The Corvettes and the owners who love them.

"C Series" Showcase - OCTOBER!

These articles and stories for the <u>Editors Choice</u> will be about the Corvettes.

Email me to include your story— email2ccr@gmail.com



FALL IS HERE!

Glen Allen Day Parade with The Dolans as OD's

Saturday Morning October 7th — see Page 6 for the details

Read On / Saddle Up

The CCR Christmas Party is Coming Up, so Please Register if You have Not Done this Yet—It is ALWAYS a nice Time And You Get To Bring Out That Christmas Sweater!

Good Read 18—19 — Mike and Peggy Todd

Keep those member Articles coming, we love to

hear about your

Corvette story.

Many Thanks to my Hubby Allen For Taking the Photo's of the Rocco Cruise



CCR Christmas Party 2023!



Working Club Radios Available for ODs

By David Dolan

You've heard about club radios at recent meetings and in the newsletter. For some time CCR's radios were out of commission. I'm happy to report that we now have three working CCR club radios again.

Like alwayst, only ODs (Officers of the Day) can borrow the club's three radios for their events. ODs should have a radio as well as the last vehicle and a Vette in the middle of their caravan. Participants should also bringtheir own personal radios on events.

I will not be attending all events, so ODs should call me after 2 pm (*Dave Dolan 804-640-9338*) IF they want CCR's club radios. I will make arrangements to get radios to ODs and to get them back from ODs after the event.

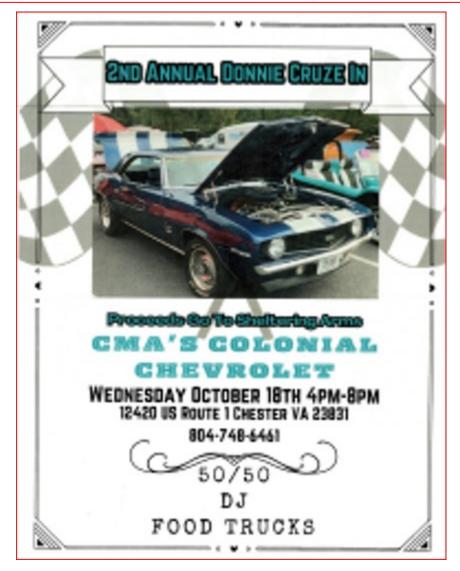
If you want your own radio (about \$80), **Dean Maddern** (<u>maddfam@hushmail.com</u>) can tell you how to get one.



CMA's 2nd Annual "Cruize in for Donnie Foster"(NSE)

When: Wed, October 18, 2023 4:00 PM, EDT

Where: Colonial Chevrolet 12420 US-1, Chester, VA 23831



CMA's Colonial Chevrolet Invites you to a "Cruize In for Donnie Foster"!

Donnie was hurt in a work related accident on the job and is receiving treatment from Sheltering Arms.

This is not a CCR event, however, CMA is one of CCR's biggest sponsors, so if you can get out on a Wednesday evening from 4-8 pm, let's do this and show our support!

Glen Allen Day Parade – October 7, 2023

O.D. Dave Dolan



It's time again for the Glen Allen Day Parade! We had great turnout for the Sandston Memorial Day Parade and we hope we'll have good turnout for this parade too. If you're available **Saturday, October 7**th, please plan to join us and we'll make sure CCR looks better than the Mustang Club!



We recommend decorating our Vettes in patriotic **red**, **white** and **blue**. If you don't want to go all out with decorations, grab a flag or two. Masking tape or blue painters tape can be used safely to attach decorations with no damage to your Vette. You can borrow our tape



if you don't have any.

Meet at our house at 8 am (4148 Old Springfield Road, Glen Allen, VA 23060 – **804-640-9338**). Grab some coffee and a quick bathroom break. At 8:30 we'll drive a mile down the road to our staging area where we'll decorate our cars. Step-off is at 9:30.

The parade route is very short -- we drive down Mountain Road and turn into Crump Park where we'll park to undecorate. You can stay and enjoy the day's festivities or you can follow Dave to **JJs Grille** in the Crossridge Shopping Center at 10298 Staples Mill Road.



Compass Church Cruise In Marianne Warren

COMPASS CHRISTIAN CHURCH FUND RAISER FOR JACEN MATHEWS

WOW!! WHAT AN AWESOME AND HEARTWARMING EVENT THIS WAS!! JUST TO WATCH HOW EVERYONE CAME TOGETHER IN A TIME OF NEED FOR ANOTHER.

The CCR CLUB HAD 7 BEAUTIFUL CORVETTES AND 5 BEAUTIFUL CLASSIC CARS WITH A HANOVER DEPUTY LEADING US FROM LOWES PARKING LOT TO COMPASS CHURCH WITH BLUE LIGHTS LIGHTING THE WAY. HOW AWESOME IS THAT?

LAST COUNT THERE WAS 250 VEHICLES AND 1600 SPECTATORS, SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY, FREE EVENT FOR ALL.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CHIS DOWD FOR THE MATHEWS FAMILY CHOOSING HIS BEAUTIFUL WHITE 2019 ZO6 AS THEIR 3RD PLACE FAVORITE CAR.

HOPEFULLY WE WILL HAVE DRONE PICTURES TO SHARE LATER FOR OUR MEMBERS TO SEE ALL THE FUN WE HAD.

THANKS TO ALL THE CCR GROUP AND THE CLASSIC CAR GROUP THAT PARTICIPATED IN MAKING OUR GROUP LOOK AWESOME.

WE WERE BLESSED TO BE INVITED TO BE PART OF SUCH A GREAT WORTHWHILE CAUSE.

LAST COUNT I RECEIVED WAS \$35,000 IN DONATIONS IN LESS THAN 4 HOURS.

Compass Church Cruise—In





Duncan Cruise







October, List Of Events For 2023				
	ossible Dat tes May Cha		OD Name	
23	1-Oct			
24	7-Oct	Glen Allen Day Parade	Dolan's	
25	12-Oct	VIR Full Course Track Day	NSE	
26	14-Oct			
27	24-Oct	Zip Corvettes @Chattanooga TN, Motor Festival	NSE	
28	21-Oct	Tims Crabhouse, Mineral VA	Rhodes	
29	21-Oct	Annual Queen City Corvette Car Show	NSE	
29.1	28-Oct	Cruise In, Fall Festival, Enon Baptist Church	NSE	
31	2-Dec	Virginia Beach Event (Overnight)	Rhodes	
32	9-Dec	Xmas Party	PJM / PJ	

Events that are in BOLD Print are fixed dates for the EVENT NSE means on the OD's Section is a non-sponsored club event

Rocco's Smokehouse Grill Cruise Williamsburg, Virginia

Larry and Robin Williams, OD's

Saturday, September 30, 2023

On Saturday, September 30, Larry and I Oded our annual cruise to Rocco's Smokehouse Grill in Williamsburg. As customary, we gathered at our regular meeting place (EXXON/Dairy Queen) on New Market Road at 11:30AM and departed at 12:00 noon.

As the Officer of the Day, we were followed by a beautiful caravan of approximately 23 Corvettes of all colors. What a sight to see....

We traveled down Rt. 5 East, turned right on Jordan Point Road, drove across the Benjamin Harrison Bridge and was escorted by a Prince George County Police Officer to Rt. 10 East, where we were able to make that let turn all together.

We drove down Rt. 10 East for about 25 miles and was joined by another club member who had secured two Surry County Police Officers who directed us through two intersections which led us to the Scottland Ferry. We all were able to board the ferry together and enjoyed a 20 minute cruise on the James River. After disembarking the ferry, we gathered at the Jamestown Settlement parking lot and regrouped. We traveled down the famous Colonial Parkway; but were unexpectedly detoured and had to go through Williamsburg to reach our destination.

We all arrived at Rocco's at about 2:05PM and enjoyed a delicious lunch.

This was truly a great event; and we look forward to cruising with the CCR cruisers again next year.

Larry and Robin Williams

Rocco's Photo's



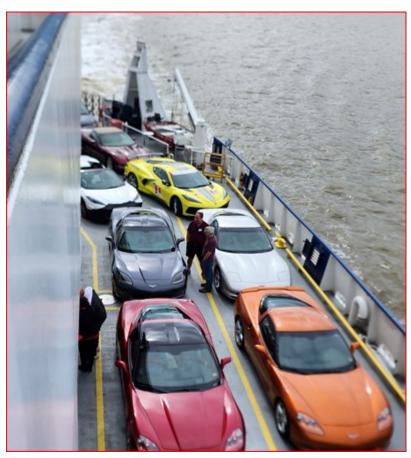








Super COOL!





At this year's Corvettes at Carlisle event Bob Atwell from the Corvette Club of America chose our 1967 Corvette as his Celebrity Choice winner. Bob asked that we write an article about the Corvette for their clubs Newsletter. Below is that article.

Corvettes at Carlisle 2023 Celebrity Choice





Hi everyone, Mike and Peggy Todd here. First we want to thank Bob Atwell from the Corvette Club of America, one of this year's Corvettes at Carlisle Celebrity Judges for selecting our 1967 Marina Blue Corvette Coupe as his choice.

Bob asked if we would do an article about the Vette's history for your newsletter, so here we go. We are the third owners. The second owner keep the car in their family for over 25 years. We found the Vette at Carlisle in the car corral and purchased it in October of 1997 (26 years ago). Our first cruise was driving it home from Allentown PA to Richmond VA. An exciting and thankfully an uneventful trip.

This Corvette born with the base 327 cu in engine. The only options were power windows and tinted glass. When we bought the car the original engine had been replaced with a 350 cu in engine.

We bought this Corvette to drive. The Vette has made the trip to Carlisle (with the exception of two years) every year since 1998. Because we bought this Vette to drive in 2015 we decided to do a Resto Mod conversion. A small shop in Emmitsburg MD did the conversion. The Vette now rides on a new tubular chassis with C4 Corvette suspension, steering, and brakes. The engine is a new LS3 GM crate engine with a Tremec 5 speed transmission and a Dana 373 rear end. Let's not forget Vintage Air.



In an interesting twist the chassis was ready but we wanted to make one last trip before taking the Vette in to finish the conversion. So the builder put our new chassis on display at Carlisle.



After the leaving the 2015 Carlisle event we dropped our Vette off in Emmitsburg to complete the conversion. Since its completion we have taken numerous trips and enjoyed the reliability, comfort and handling the new setup brings. Our goal was to incorporate newer technology without changing the outward appearance. You just can't improve on the looks of a C2 Coupe. GM got it right the first time.

Again thanks, Bob for selecting us and we will see everyone at Corvettes at Carlisle in 2024.





Look Here In November for Winners and NEW Members!

Check Out SOON! 2023

New Members 2023

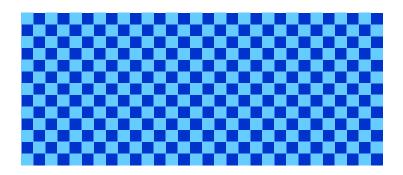
WINNER! - Cookies

WINNER! - Hand Shake

\$25 Restaurant Dinner Ticket

WINNER!

50/50- \$50.00



Duane	Maloy	1-Oct
J. R.	Hungate	7-Oct
Wendy	Cameron	8-Oct
Bonnie	Bell	9-Oct
Doris	Farrar	11-Oct
Dennis	Jones	14-Oct
Denise	Malone	14-Oct
Jimmy	Brice	16-Oct
Butch	Bell	18-Oct
Cindy	Butler	18-Oct
Denise	Jones	21-Oct
Lucy	Lindsey	22-Oct
Mike	Lowery	23-Oct
Brenda	Niedermayer	27-Oct
Karen	Roper	27-Oct
Allen	Lindsey	28-Oct
Ellen	Adams	29-Oct
Ginny	Greene	29-Oct
Charlene	Stone	30-Oct
David	Wynne	30-Oct
Joni	Williams	31-Oct



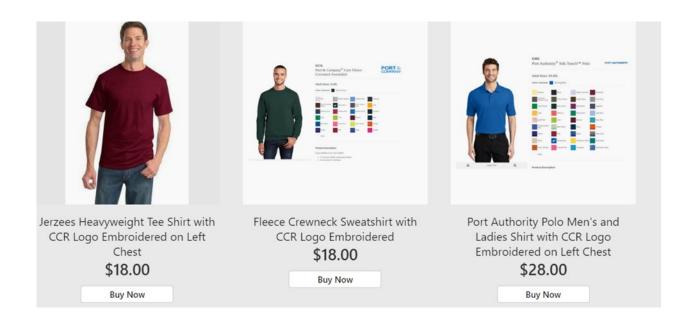
Happy Birthday to those members celebrating
October 2023

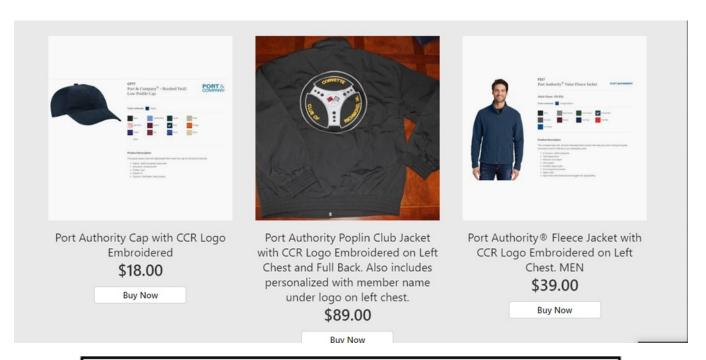


UPCOMING EVENTS!

Glen Allen Day Parade Sat, October 07, 2023 8:00 AM • Glen Allen, 4148 Old Springfield Road, Glen Allen, VA 23060
VIR Full Course Track Day - October 12, 2023, NSE Thu, October 12, 2023 7:30 AM • Virginia International Raceway, Alton VA
October General Membership Meeting Fri, October 13, 2023 7:30 PM • Kings Korner Restuarant (Chesterfield Airport) 7511 Airport Dr N. Chesterfield, VA 23237
Join Zip Corvette at the Chattanooga Motorcar Festival this fall! Sat, October 14, 2023 9:00 AM • Chattanooga, Tennessee
CMA's 2nd Annual "Cruze in for Donnie Foster"(NSE) Wed, October 18, 2023 4:00 PM • Colonial Chevrolet 12420 US-1, Chester, VA 23831
Annual Queen City Corvette Club Corvette Show Fri, October 20, 2023 9:00 AM • Hendrick Motor Sport Campus Charlotte, NC
Arts & Craft Fair @ Bethia United Methodist Church Sat, October 21, 2023 9:00 AM • 10700 Winterpock Road, Chesterfield VA
<u>Cruise - Tim's Crabhouse, Lake Anna</u> Sat, October 21, 2023 10:00 AM • Route 522, Lake Anna, Mineral VA
October Executive Board Meeting Thu, October 26, 2023 7:00 PM • Conference Call

Order apparel





To order any item here, contact Cheryl Maddern at c_maddfam@hushmail.com

Other club clothing can be found on our ONLINE STORE PAGE

Note: Shipping is not available at this time. Your order can be picked up at the next CCR

meeting

Order apparel



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\$39.00

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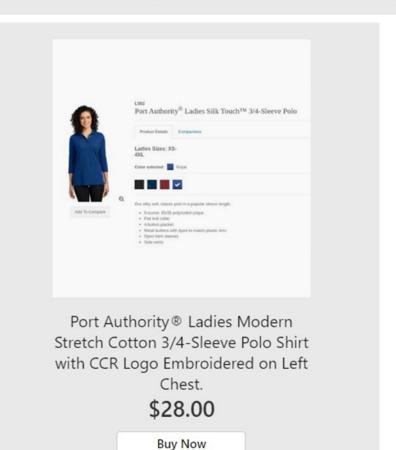
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