



First State Corvette Club

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The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at Smith and Company in Milford, DE, President Brian K. Kisner called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Reading and Approval of Minutes.

Motioned by Marianne Callahan and approved unanimously.



Don't forget our fund raiser web site.
www.currentfun.com/frontpage.asp

Report of Officers and Standing Committees.

President: We have a lot of activities coming up this year and we, as a club, need to support other clubs in their endeavors. We have agreed to support the Del Rods by attending their 2nd Saturday of each month Cruise Nights at Greentree and we will try to create a list of other clubs functions for this summer.

Vice President: Our next meeting will be at Maple Dale Country Club. Maple Dale has offered us a choice of two selections. One would be an Italian Night Buffer at \$11.95 pp plus 16% gratuity and the other would be a Limited Menu of three entree's – Hamburger, Caesar Salad or Crab Cake. The club voted to try the Italian Buffer for the April meeting, and we will have our May meeting there as well and we will try the Limited Menu. See you there.

Secretary: No report

Treasurer: Submitted by Bruce Ballard. Motion by Jim McCarnan to approve the report and approval unanimous.

Beginning Balance	
Deposits	
Withdrawals	
Ending Balance	_____

New checks were issued for the missing checks as follows: \$50 to the Nat Corvette Museum for dues and \$500 to Make-a-Wish for the 7/7/06 donation.

Public Relations: Art brought a form from the Dover Post to fill out with information on the club for the papers Directory of Local Clubs. This directory is published once a year.

Club Historian: No report

Corresponding Secretary: No report

Membership: No report

NCM Ambassador: Rick Berry announced some of the Museums upcoming activities: to view, use the museum website below...

www.corvettemuseum.com/calendar/ncm_events_2007.shtml

C5 / C6 Bash	April 26-28
ZR-1 / C4 Gathering	May 3 – 5
Corvette Forum Cruise-In	May 24-26
Mediterranean Cruise	June 18-23
Anniversary Affair	June 21-23
VIP HPDE	July 2 – 3
Anniversary Celebration / HOF	Aug 30–Sep 2
Pace Car Reunion	Sep 27 – 29
Classic Corvette Extravaganza	Oct 11-13
Z06 Fest	Oct 2007

Parade Chairman: The upcoming St. Patrick's Day Parade in Dover will be Saturday March 17th. So far we have 10 cars signed up and more are welcome. Line up will be at 1pm on Queen Street between the jail and Spence's Bazaar. We were asked to carry Little Miss Central Delaware and she will be in the last car in line. After the parade, those wishing to can join the group at Sheridan's Pub in Smyrna where a day long Irish Fling will be going on... Sheridan's in on Commerce Street in Smyrna, one block past the four corners light.

OLD BUSINESS:

Club Funds: Treasurer Bruce Ballard brought to the clubs attention that the funds in the treasury are getting low and we have some outstanding donations promised to the club that have not been forthcoming. The club relies on monies from sponsorship and other donations to make charitable contributions throughout the year. Brian Kisner, Bruce Ballard, and possibly Rick Berry will go to speak to these sponsors to see if they can collect the outstanding donations.

Scholarship: Last years scholarship chairman Darlene Hurley asked if the club was going to participate in a scholarship fund of any kind this year. Discussion on the floor seemed to think the club had decided to not sponsor a scholarship this year due to the low funds in our treasury and last of fund raising revenue. A motion was made by Bruce Ballard to suspend the scholarship this year until club finances are re-assessed. Motion Passed.

Car Show: Chairman Carole Kisner has a letter into Boscov's to officially have the Car Show on June 9, 2007 in the Boscov's

parking lot again this year. Volunteers are always needed for the car show.

Dave Solloway of Solloway's Sales and Service, LLC has agreed to donate up to \$500 for tires to be used in our Fund Raiser raffle starting in April and finished with the drawing at the car show in June. Tickets will be available at the April meeting and those not attending will receive tickets in the mail to sell.

Todd Hannah reported that Sir Speedy has donated the printing of the first 1000 raffle tickets. The club will have 1500 printed and available for selling by club members.

Advertisement: The club received its first advertisement check from Xtreme Graphix for a one year subscription of a business card sized ad in our newsletter and on the website. Thanks to Dave Hall for finding our first advertiser. The club decided to create a contract/thank you letter to go to each advertiser showing the starting date as well as the ending date of the ad. This will also be our method of reminding subscribers that their ad is going to end and possibly get a renewal.

February Atlantic City Bus Trip The bus trip was a sell out again thanks to John Collison – everyone reported a good time. Thanks again to John.

NEW BUSINESS

Club Jackets: It's back. Marianne Callahan talked to the club about club jackets. She orders from a company that does not charge a set up fee and has no minimum order amount on jackets, t-shirts, etc. This brought back the discussion on the "Official Club Jackets". The majority of the members at the meeting seemed to think that a member should be able to purchase his or her own jacket, in the style they prefer, as long as the jacket is in the club colors: Dark blue jacket with gold writing.

Brian Kisner suggested the secretary create a questionnaire to go out with this newsletter, asking the members their opinion of staying with the "Official Club Jackets" or allowing others to choose their own styles and possible getting other ideas on this subject. Please bring your questionnaire to the next meeting or you can mail them to the secretary: Donna Ballard

108 Belmont Avenue
Smyrna, DE 19977

DU Greenwing Youth Day: Rick Berry announced the upcoming Youth Day sponsored by Ducks Unlimited on Saturday March 31st at Owens Station in Greenwood, DE. This is a program to educate children 17 years old and younger about wildlife. Registration forms and directions to Owens Station are available online at

www.ducks.org/states/35/events/event7999.html

Registered children will receive:

- A DU membership card and certificate
- 4 issues of Puddler Magazine (11 and younger)
- 6 issues of Ducks Unlimited magazine (12 – 17 years)
- Free shirt
- Lunch for both parents and children

CLUB COMING EVENTS

Saturday March 17th – St. Patrick's Day Parade in Dover Parade starts at 2:00pm – be there an hour early. Line up will be between the jail and Spence's on Queen Street. Anyone deciding to attend at the last minute should contact Marianne Callahan at 492-3663.

Sunday March 18th – Cruise to the Shore for Brunch

We will leave Dover at Noon from Greentree Shopping Center for a leisurely drive to **Serendipity's** Restaurant in Oak Orchard, DE on the Indian River. If anyone wants to attend and could not sign up – contact Donna Ballard at 653-6850. Cutoff will be Friday March 16th for reservations.

Saturday April 14th – Trip to Baltimore Railroad Museum / Inner Harbor

We will car pool over to the RR Museum where we will have free tickets to tour the trains and buildings. We will then go to the Inner Harbor for dinner before returning to Dover. Locations and times will be announced at the April meeting. We will go Rain or Shine. www.borail.org or www.baltimore.org/baltimore_inner_harbor.htm

OTHER COMING EVENTS:

March 20th – CCND - Cheeseburgers in Paradise Restaurant – 7:30pm. Join them for dinner at one of the newest restaurants in Newark. Email lkimmelman@mac.com if you would like to attend. Meet at the restaurant.

March 23rd - Delaware Equine Council – Dinner, Dance and Silent Auction at Harrington Fair Grounds. For more info, contact Tammy Mounts at 492-8679.

March 23-24 – AACA's Sugarloaf Mountain 37th Annual indoor-outdoor antique auto parts meet & auto auction – Frederick, MD

March 25th – CCND – Sunday Matinee @ the Regal Brandywine Towncenter XVI – Join us for a fun movie matinee. Meet at the entrance of the Regal Theater at 12:30pm. We will decide on the movie once assembled.

March 25th – AACA's South Jersey Region 36th Annual Swap Meet & Car Corral. Salem County Fairgrounds, Rt. 40, Sharptown, NJ (5 miles from Woodstown)

March 25th – Clayton Car Show in Little Ease Park, Clayton, NJ – noon to 4pm.

April 1st – CCND Brunch @ The Netherland Inn – 11:30am – restaurant is located in Lancaster County – has a bistro offering of dishes, an adjacent lounge to relax and a billiard room with pool tables, dartboards, card table and two 27" TV's. The restaurant is closed on Sundays to regular patrons, so parking is not an issue. One Historic Drive, Strasburg, PA

April 18-22 - National Corvette Caravan – will stop in Crossland, WV, tour the Corvette plant on 20th – sponsored by the Corvette Club of Vineland, NJ – Contact Dave Kinsey

April C5 or C6 Birthday Bash in Bowling Green - There will be special activities, tour by yourself. For info contact Rick Berry.

May 12th – Car Show in Smyrna – The Rotary Club will be sponsoring a car show on Market Street in Smyrna.

May 26th – Car Show in Milford will be sponsored by the VFW. All makes and models.

June 3rd – Eastern Shore Car Show – This is race Weekend. More info to come.

May 19-26, 2007 – “The Cruisers” Bermuda Cruise – Royal Caribbean Empress of the Seas out of Norfolk with buses to and from Boscov's at the Dover Mall. For info contact Darlene Hurley of the FSCC or Boscov's. **FSCC**ers attending so far are Darlene and the Ballard's

**Trivia was won by
Art Matichak (again!!)
Congratulations !!**

No 50/50

**The First State Corvette Club would
like to wish a Happy Birthday to all
our
April Birthdays.**

4/8 Don Hannah
4/15 Shelley Gorski
4/16 Brian Kisner
4/19 Art Matichak
4/19 Rose Sturtevant
4/22 Lee Moran
4/27 Debbie Collison

A motion was made by Walt Ruebeck to adjourn
the meeting.

**Meeting Adjourned at 8:12 PM
Respectfully Submitted,
Donna Ballard
FSCC Secretary**

Attendance for March 7th:

**Bruce and Donna Ballard
Rick and Linda Berry
Patrick and Marianne Callahan
Jim McCarnan
John Cullen
Darlene Hurley
Brian Kisner
Dick Kisner
Art and Ann Matichak
Bob and Tammy Mounts
Walter Ruebeck
Rose Sturtevant**

Despite the snow, we had a nice
turnout. Thanks

Next club meeting

**Maple Dale Country Club
Dover-Kenton Road
Dover, DE
on Wednesday, April 4th, 2007
Dinner 6:00 - Meeting at 7:30**

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