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President's Letter

Hello Everyone!

Well it's getting close to the time where we will put our cars to bed for the season. Seems like we just got them out. I always hate the arrival of fall. I think of this past year of events and we've had many good ones with many still to come before and after the snow flies.

I would like to thank Geanine and Maria for the time and effort they put in organizing these events and the memberships participation in these outings was exceptional. Thanks to all.

The holiday season is coming and we will have our annual Christmas party this year at the VFW. I'm looking forward to a great time.

Please don't forget nominations for officers will open up at this October meeting. All positions are open to full members in good standing. Why not throw your hat in the ring and get involved in the workings of the club. It is a great experience, one that I have really enjoyed.

See you all soon.
Remember,
Fun, Friends, Fiberglass (and food too!)

Randy Crist
President



NEXT GENERAL MEETING

Sat Oct. 23 @ 6:30pm

Lt Col Matt Urban VFW Post
3741 Walden Ave. Lancaster

***Nomination of Officers**

*Remember to bring non-perishable
canned goods or personal care items to
donate to the Veterans.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Cindy Shephard	11/1
Linda Ross	11/5
Thomas Kazmierczak	11/7
Patricia McKenna	11/11
Desiree Benoit	11/17
Jim Roberts	11/20
James Shemansky	11/23
Charlene Drogi	11/27
John Glennon	11/29



WELCOME! - NEW MEMBERS:

Keith Simmons

GET WELL WISHES:

Jim Jager (knee replacement surgery)
Karen Krzyzykowski (surgery)

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WNYCC 2021 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sat Oct 30 – Sprague's Maple Farms Restaurant, 1048 Portville-Obi Rd, Portville NY 14770; we will meet and cruise to a late breakfast

830am Meet at Joe & Nancy Egan's house 10837 Crump Rd, Holland NY 14080

9am Leave for Spragues

11am Breakfast at Spragues

We need a headcount for this event!! Nancy Egan is running this event, 998-1642

Thurs Nov 4 – 5pm - Anderson's Ice Cream Social, 4855 Transit Rd, Depew NY Everyone pays for their own food and ice cream. Please let Geanine know if you are going.

Sun Nov 7 VFW Post Steak Dinner – 1145am \$14 Cash only

Lt Col Matt Urban VFW Post 7275, 3741 Walden Ave, Lancaster

10oz NY Strip Steak, buttered potatoes, corn, chef salad & roll

The Club will eat in the Post Hall so we need a headcount to reserve tables.

Tues Nov 16 - 5pm Dinner at the Olive Branch Restaurant

2343 Union Rd, West Seneca NY 14224

Come out to patronize our newest Club newsletter sponsor

Please let Geanine know if you will attend. This event is limited to 20 persons.

Sat Nov 20 – Niagara Wine Trail & Dinner

Visit 2 wineries and then have an early dinner at Gordie Harper's Restaurant, 3333 Lockport Olcott Rd (Rt 78), Newfane NY 14108 at 3pm. More details to follow. Limited to 30 persons

Sat Nov 27 @ 630pm General Meeting at the Lt Col Matt Urban VFW Post

Election of officers

Sat Dec 4 - Christmas Party - Arrive 530pm; Dinner at 6pm

Lt Col Matt Urban VFW Post 7275, 3741 Walden Ave, Lancaster NY 14086

We will be ordering a buffet from Carmen's Catering.

Menu details to follow. Please patronize the Post for beverages.

Optional \$20 Unisex gift exchange

Cost (No Refunds)

\$20 member reservation which will be returned to the member at the event

\$20 guest (this will not be returned)

Please let Geanine know if you will attend and send checks payable to WNYCC to

Michael Kreamer

72 Rolling Hills Drive, Orchard Park NY 14127

Please annotate on the check this is for the Xmas dinner.

MONEY IS DUE BY SAT OCT 30



WNYCC DUES ARE DUE BY NOV 15, 2021!!!

WNYCC Renewal Information

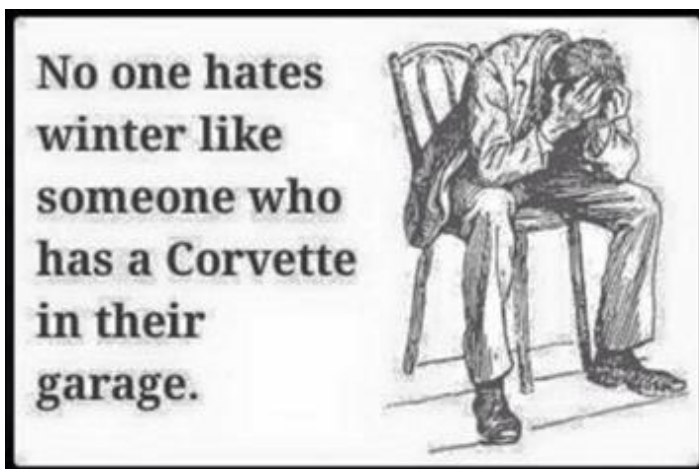
1. Individual dues are \$36
2. Couples dues are \$72
3. As in the past, WNYCC will pay for one membership per couple in the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC) if a member wishes to belong to NCCC.
4. If you wish to enroll or renew your spouse/partner as a member of NCCC, the spouse/partner dues are an additional \$10 you need to pay.

Please contact Michael Kreamer 662-4111 if you have any questions regarding WNYCC dues. All dues checks should be made payable to WNYCC and mailed to Michael Kreamer, Treasurer,
72 Rolling Hills Dr., Orchard Park, NY 14127
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MEMBERS, SPOUSES/PARTNERS WISHING TO ENROLL IN NCCC FOR THE FIRST TIME

If you are a member of WNYCC and wish to become a member of NCCC contact Bob Metz for an NCCC application form. All forms should be returned to Bob Metz, do not send anything to NCCC!
Please contact Bob Metz if you have any questions regarding NCCC membership applications or dues (662-0734).

All NCCC membership applications are to be sent to Bob Metz, 6052 Emerson Drive, Orchard Park, NY 14127



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Nomination of Officers:

If anyone is interested in being an Officer or being on the Board, please feel free to reach out to Randy or any Officer or Board member.

Note:

- New members, you must attend 3 meetings and 3 events to become a Full Member and be eligible to run for a position.
- Full members must have attended 4 meetings and/or events during 2021 to be considered an active member to vote or run for office.
- An Associate member may not vote or run for office per the ByLaws.

At the October meeting, we are accepting nominations of officers. You must be a full member who has attended four meetings and/or events in the past year to be eligible to be nominated. Nominations are again accepted at the November meeting where we will vote on the Officer and Board positions.

High Level Description of Positions: President: runs meetings and appoints committees

Vice President: in absence of President, will run meetings and appoint committees; serves as Chairperson of By Laws and runs the Annual Family Picnic.

Treasurer: has care and custody of all money belonging to the Club; shall give an account of finances at the meetings;

Secretary: keep minutes and records of the Club; attend to all correspondence and present any communications to the Club Board of Director(s):

The business of this organization shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of two members at large, the officers, and the past President. The Past President shall serve one year only. After one year, the Past President will no longer serve on the Board. This position will then be opened to any full member to run for the Board.



WNYCC CLUB FUNDRAISER

WNYCC Chrome License frames are now \$10 each on sale! This is a Club fundraiser and we are hoping all members will purchase at least one frame. WNYCC hats available too.

Checks should be made payable to **WNYCC**. If you have already purchased a frame, thank you for supporting your Club!!

See Randy to purchase any of these items.

Hi Pete: All good here, had one of the last ski's of the season at 7.30 this morning, water cooling down a bit now but we have built a wood fired hot tub at the lake so we sit in this between skis! Works really well and almost too hot sometimes. Came home and took the vette for a run, just staying local til I get the job done. Garage making slower progress than i hoped but guy coming in the morning to measure steels for mezzanine over the end that will house the 72. 2/3rds of old shed now removed but left a secure section for the car which I will remove last. Going to be great when its done. Will keep you posted when I start the gearbox job and on shed progress. So glad we got the 72 safely over here before all these supply problems started, the cost of shipping containers is rising fast now with long waiting times too. Take care pete and best wishes to you, your family and all your vette friends too. Take care. Gary.



Peak and Peak Cruise

So here I go on my first caravan cruise with my, new to me, C5 and the Western NY Corvette Club. Oh, my son Wally who has been a Corvette enthusiast since childhood is thrilled that I asked him to join me. Anyway, So I get up earlier than normal cause Steve and I need to meet the other members at the Angola Rest area by 8:30-9:00. Well, I am following Steve Cyrankowski in his C5 and he loses his bra on the 90 and we need to pull over. Car bar that is of course. Ok the bra is folded up and put away for now so on we go. Frank, Skip, Maria & Gary, Steve and I are there well before 9:00. Well, we're all waiting for Pete and Rosa, Pete is in charge. Ok they weren't late but just made it in the nick of time. Mike and Sheila and Debbie and Paul were going to meet us out there so no need to wait for them. So on we go to Peak and Peak. It was a wonderful drive, all following Pete, and the most Beautiful Fall day you could imagine. We don't know how many cars in total were at the show but there was a bunch. Some craft vendors, food, and even a Pumpkin Rocket allowing kids to shot a pumpkin at a target.

Hope everyone joins us next year.

Your newest member, Kathy Kozakowski

Dinner at Morluski's Polish & Italian Restaurant - Oct. 5




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