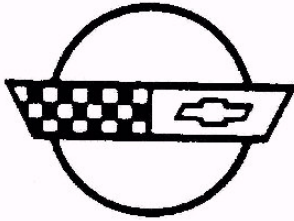




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2008 Events Calendar

May:	5/9 – Ride N’ Dine – Meet at Forest Hills 5:30PM Event Master – Jim and Judy Rowley 5/13 – Ray Hutson Q & A 5/17 – RCC 35th Anniversary Display Day @ RAY HUTSON 10AM-3PM 5/31 – June Dairy Days in West Salem Parade (Monthly Meeting to Follow at Features)
June:	6/6-8 – Event – Wisconsin Dells 6/14 – Ride N’ Dine Event Masters - Ron and Patti Parker 6/22 – Meeting @ Forest Hills 5pm with meeting starting at 5PM 6/27-29 – Bloomington Gold
July:	7/13 – Catfish Days in Trempealeau Parade 7/17-20 – Event – Black Hills Classic 7/27 – Special Event and Monthly Meeting Event Masters John and Susan Gesslein 7/29 – Car Show at Rudy’s Drive-In
August:	8/10 – RCC AUTOCROSS 8/16 – Event – Holmen Kornfest Parade 8/24 – Picnic at Coon Valley Park Shelter/Monthly Meeting
September:	9/13 – Ride N’ Dine Event Masters - Dave and Kathy Fontanini 9/28 – Meeting @ Forest Hills 5pm with meeting starting at 5PM
October:	10/11 – Ride N’ Dine Event Masters - Dennis and Cyndy Schaper 10/26 – Meeting @ Forest Hills 5pm with meeting starting at 5PM
November:	11/?? – Year End Party TBA

Monthly Newsletter

President's Message

It's HERE!!!!

Our season, the time of year we love and plan all winter long how we are going to enjoy. It is our time and we have a busy month ahead to kick-off the season. We have a Ride N Dine this Friday, Q&A next week, Display Day and a Parade, this is all just in the month of MAY!!!! We are 35 this year and for the 2008 Season we are planning on varies kinds of ways to celebrate. If you have an idea let Dave, Judy or I know and we will look at it. So let's get our cars ready for an event filled season!!

After we get through the Display Day Event we can relax. But I need all of your help in making this event a success. Mike and his committee have a great event planned and what better excuse to get out and polish our Corvette's. Bring your friends and their cars- let them know its all for a good cause. We have many items to auction off at the Silent Auction as well a chance to look at some great cars. One of the feature cars is destined to go to the Corvette Museum later this year.

We are hitting the ground running but don't worry- we have a lot of nice places to stop and take in the sights along the way.

Charlie Britten
RCC President

May 2008 Newsletter - April Meeting Notes

General Meeting: Attendance: Charlie & Carol Britten, Kathy & Dave Fontanini, Claude & Judy Mosley, Dennis Schaper & Cyndi, Mike & Cindi Carney, Patty Parker, Tom Stibbe, Mavis Nicolai and Jim & Judy Rowley.

Potential New Members in attendance: Sonya & Gary Kratch from Winona.

Secretary's Report: The minutes from 3/30/08 were read and reviewed.

Treasurer's Report: Mavis gave a brief summary of the debits and credits to the checking account. A letter was sent to Brothers regarding their sponsorship again this year and they responded stating that they were no longer interested.

Governor's Report: Tom has started the paperwork that is needed for the autocross. The Midwest Region has a website, mwregion.com, which has events listed. Tom has also ordered a rulebook for the autocross.

Webmaster's Report: The Display Day Flyer is on our home page. It is a scroll display that allows a visitor to click and get the flyer.

Event Chairperson: The next ride and dine will be held on Friday, 5/9. Jim and Judy are the hosts. We will depart from Forest Hills at 6:00 p.m.

The Q& A at Ray Hutson is scheduled for 5/13 at 6:00 p.m. This is open to any member. Pizza will be brought in for dinner.

Duffy has the club registered in the West Salem parade on 5/31. The club will meet at Woodman's at 11:00 a.m. and we will caravan up to West Salem. The parade begins at noon. The membership meeting will be held after the parade at Features.

35th Anniversary

Dave has taken the 35th anniversary logo to Personal Touch Monogramming.

A shelter has been reserved in the Coon Valley park for the picnic on Sunday, 8/24. The shelter does have a refrigerator and electricity available. A pot luck lunch or dinner is being planned.

RCC 35th Anniversary Display Day

A flyer for the display day was distributed and reviewed. Prizes are still being determined for the silent auction and raffle. Mike will contact John about posting the flyer on the RCC website. A radio live remote has been scheduled at Ray Hutson from 10-12:00 p.m., with at least 30 advertising spots leading up to the live remote. Ray Hutson has agreed to help cover the cost of this. A flyer has been sent to the Rochester and Eau Claire clubs. Judy will put together a display board showing all of the sponsors and donors. Mike will put together the posters. He has also been in contact with Pepsi regarding securing a soda cart for the day and Bakalars for the cost of brats and hot dogs. Jim Rowley will bring the club megaphone. Tom will bring his awning for the concession stand. Mike has scheduled a committee meeting for the event on Tuesday, 5/6. Email reminders will be sent out.

Old Business: None.

New Business: It was suggested that any type of RCC logo apparel be worn on the display day at Ray Hutson.

Tom distributed a flyer from the Eau Claire Club's car show on June 14th.

Corvettes in the Dells is scheduled for June 5-9th.

Due to a conflict for the June ride and dine, discussion followed on the possibility of moving the June ride and dine to the 21st, instead of the 14th. Ron and Patti will discuss and get back to the club.

The National Corvette Museum sent to the club a plaque in recognition of our 35th anniversary.

Adjournment: A motion was made to adjourn the meeting, approved.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Fontanini
RCC Secretary

Governor's Report - May 2008

This month's schedule is absolutely fantastic, and offers something for everyone. We suggest that you take a close look at the schedule and begin the summer Corvette season during May. The month kicks off with an evening ride & dine, then a free maintenance check of your car at the dealership, the 35th Anniversary RCC Show at Ray Hutson, and the month concludes with a parade in nearby West Salem. We encourage you and your Corvette friends to enjoy these "Corvette" outings. Make it your personal goal to attend all these events!

If your looking to attend a large Corvette show this summer, I always recommend the Bloomington Gold Corvette Show. This year, the show will begin on Thursday, June 26 and run thru Sunday. What you will see includes 500 Corvettes at auction, 200 Corvettes in the private sell lot, 150 Corvettes (new and used) in the dealer's area. Also, this show includes 400 vendors, a special display of highly restored Corvettes, and the Survivor and Gold Certification judging events.

If your looking to take your Corvette on vacation this summer, you should look into the Black Hills Corvette Classic. This event is held in mid-July, and begins at Souix Falls, South Dakota and travels to Spearfish, South Dakota for a long weekend of Corvette

touring along with the opportunity to autocross and drag race. For more details, check their web site at www.blackhillsclassic.com.

And finally, the August 10 (Sunday) autocross sponsored by the River City Corvette Club. Again, this event will be held at the La Crosse County Fairgrounds Speedway in West Salem. It is a sanctioned National Council of Corvette Clubs event, and many of our Corvette friends from around the midwest will be spinning tires and looking for faster timed runs.

Webmaster's Notes

To see what club events are coming up for the month of May, please check the [Events Calendar](#) page.

Members, if you would like to have apparel with the River City Corvettes logo, go to the [Links](#) page and checkout Personal Touch Monogramming.

Check out the [Bulletin Board](#), Mike Carney is selling some tires.

Our 35th Anniverary [Home](#) page (2008 only) has a new look.

To get a copy of this month's newsletter, just click on [Download](#).

If you are a Corvette owner and would like get more information about the River City Corvettes Club, just send us an email at postmaster@rivercitycorvettes.com.

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"Sorry, I don't think it'll become the national rage!"

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