



River City Corvettes
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2008 Officers

President: Charlie Britten
Vice President: Mike Carney
Secretary: Kathy Fontanini
Treasurer: Mavis Nicolai
NCCC Governor: Tom Stibbe
Activities: Judy Mosley
Webmaster: John Gesslein
Sergeant-at-Arms: Ron Parker

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2008 Events Calendar

November:	11/15 – Year End Party - Piggy's: 6:00pm social hour, 7:00pm dinner
December:	12/?? – Ride & Dine PLEASE NOTE - NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

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Monthly Newsletter

President's Message

Well! We made it!! I was very nervous and apprehensive when elected President but you have been so supportive and helpful that I feel very comfortable in this role. We are really blessed to have such a great club full of motivated and helpful people. You have made my first year as your President a success!! I think we had fun, we put on Great Events and I am very proud of our achievements. Each of you has contributed in your own way and together we had a Great Season!!

Let's hope next year we get great weather and wonderful participation. We need to reach out to other clubs again next year as well since that seems to create excitement and interest that benefits both clubs.

This has been fun.

Two more big events this year and then we are in the off-season See you all at the Christmas Party and the Rotary Lights Parade.

Thanks for everything each of you contributed this year!

Charlie Britten
RCC President

November 2008 Newsletter - October Meeting Notes

General Meeting: Attendance: Charlie & Carol Britten, Kathy & Dave Fontanini, Claude & Judy Mosley, Tom Stibbe, Mike & Cindi Carney, John Gesslein, Ron & Patty Parker, Tom & Vicki Mumbleau Mavis Nicolai and Dennis Schaper.

Thank you to Dennis & Cyndy for hosting October's ride and dine to Arctic Springs in Galesville!

Secretary's Report: No report.

Treasurer's Report: Mavis gave a brief summary of the activity in the checkbook.

Governor's Report: Renewals of the RCC membership dues need to be paid to Mavis. Couple memberships are \$45 and single memberships are \$35. Dues are also due to the National membership office as well. Tom reported on Regional news.

Webmaster's Report: If members haven't already done so, please submit their birth date (month and day) to Sue Gesslein. Membership birthdays will be posted on the website. If the membership meeting site location changes, John would like to be notified so he can change the website of the new location. The website has been renewed for another year.

Event Chairperson: The RCC holiday party invites have been mailed out to all members. This year's party will be held at Piggy's on Saturday, November 15th. A limited menu of 5 items will be offered. Members are encouraged to bring a white elephant gift. RSVP to Judy Mosley, so far 17 people have signed up to attend.

No one has offered to host November's ride and dine. There will be a walk and dine in December. Members will be emailed the specifics.

There will be no membership meeting in November or December.

It was suggested to find another meeting place other than Edwardo's. Judy Mosley will contact River Jack's for possibly meeting there in January.

Old Business:

- RCC 35th anniversary update – Judy Mosley & Dave Fontanini are working on “something” for the Year End Party.
- Carol Britten reported that the RCC should hear from Rotary Lights in October regarding what club members will be “volunteering” for this year. She requested the parade as 1st choice.
- **35th Anniversary** No report.
- **Rotary Lights** Cindi & Mike Carney attended the Rotary Lights meeting. RCC will again do the parade clean up on Friday, 11/28 after the parade. Tom Stibbe has offered to bring his Corvette for the parade, as long as there is no snow, slush, salt etc. RCC members who are interested in walking along side the Corvette and pick up after the other parade units. We need to be at the parade by 5:00 p.m. which is located in/near Wells Fargo Parking Lot Patty will order some lighted items for people to

wear. It was suggested that the group will go to Diggers after the parade. There will be a reception at the CenturyTel building from 4-7:00 p.m.. Contact Carol Britten if you are interested in attending the reception and/or walking in the parade. It was voted and accepted to place an ad in the Rotary Lights publication to promote the club.

New Business:

- The following individuals have been nominated for RCC board positions:
 - President: Charlie Britten
 - Vice President: Mike Carney
 - Governor: Dave Fontanini
 - Web Master: John Gesslein
 - Secretary: Kathy Fontanini
 - Treasurer: Mavis Nicolai
 - Event Chairperson: Judy Mosley
 - Sergeant at Arms: Ron Parker

A motion was made to accept the above individuals to the RCC 2009 Board of Directors, approved.

- Mavis suggested that the club do Christmas caroling on Sunday, December 20th at 5:00 p.m. Mavis will host the event at her house. Judy Rowley will email the club with more details.
- Mike Carney distributed a membership form to be filled out by all members. He would like members to fill in what types of things they would be interested in helping within the club...auto cross, holiday party, etc. Please send the form back to him via snail mail or email.
- **Auto Cross**
Due to the National Convention, our auto cross will not be able to be held in August, but on June 28th. Tom will contact the La Crosse Speedway to see if the track will be available.
A motion was made to move the auto cross to June 28th if the La Crosse Speedway track is available, approved.

- A motion was made to cover the cost of meals at the holiday party of all the volunteers who worked the auto cross in August, approved.
- All volunteers should submit their dinner bill from Piggy's to Mavis and she will write one check to Piggy's.

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

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Fontanini
RCC Secretary



November Birthdays

Kathy Fontanini 11/7
Tom Arquillo 11/22
Kathy Pervin 11/25
Cindy Carney 11/30

Governor's Report - November 2008

No Report.

Webmaster's Notes

To see what club events are coming up for the month of November, 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.

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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"At long last, civilization!"

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