



# FEBRUARY 2024 Competition Corvette Association Newsletter

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## Calendar & Flyers are on the EVENTS Page on our Website

**Monthly Meetings** are held  
at **7:00 pm** on the **2<sup>nd</sup>**  
**Wednesday** of the month:

### Meeting Locations: "The Spot on Lakeshore"

7272 Lakeshore Blvd  
Mentor, OH 44060

### Summer picnic meetings June, July, August, & September:

**Concord Woods Park**  
11211 Spear Road,  
Concord Township, OH

You're Always Invited!!  
**Bring a friend or a new  
potential member!**

## 2023 CCA Officers



**Chairman:**  
Bill Faunce

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**Membership Director:**  
Dave Turner



**Activities Directors:**  
Gary/ Sue Maddie



**Treasurer:**  
Dave Ryan



**Director of Publications**  
Ken Deken  
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**Secretary:**  
Carol Rinehart



**Governor:**  
Tom Boyadjis

### MEETING CALL TO ORDER BY BILL FAUNCE

The meeting was called to order on the 14<sup>H</sup> of FEBRUARY at 7 PM by Bill Faunce at The Spot Restaurant. 26 members were in attendance. A motion to waive the reading of the minutes from the January meeting was raised, seconded, and approved.

### TREASURER'S REPORT BY DAVE RYAN

Dave Ryan reported finances remain in good order. If anyone wants details, they can contact Dave.

A Motion to accept the treasurer's report was seconded and passed.

An audit was done in January and was found to be in good standing order.

### MEMBERSHIP REPORT BY DAVE TURNER

We currently have 83 members for 2024 including 2 new members that joined and attended the meeting tonight. WELCOME! To our Corvette family.

A 2024 Member Roster can be obtained from Dave Turner via email or text (dtsautomotive@att.net or (440)251-2541. This document is for members only and not to be shared for personal and security reasons.

### ACTIVITIES REPORT BY SUE & GARY MADDLE

Planned events this year will include Skee-Ball tournaments at the Mentor Winking Lizard starting Wednesday February 21 and continuing through April. (Sign up needs to be done with Sue and Gary Maddle.)

We will have an "ECLIPSE" party on April 8<sup>th</sup> at Fairport Harbor Rod and Reel Club. Information will be sent out for details on directions and time along with dish to bring. Eclipse glasses are not provided and please be sure you get USA Made glasses that are approved for this event. (The Club does not want to be responsible for the glasses you select to protect you eyes!)

"Drive n' Dine" cruises scheduled for the last Thursday of the month May thru August. Information will be provided ahead of events for those interested to sign up. We will be going to places such as Spirits, Sammys, and Grand River Winery

Also we will have other events such as our famous Ice Cream Social, a Southeast Ohio cruise with the Wiles and maybe even another clam bake . . .

### SUNSHINE REPORT

A card was sent out to Deb Faunce who is recovering nicely from surgery.

Also, we received late news on Thursday that long-time CCA member Mike Faunce has passed away. We have not seen an obituary to date. Please keep Cheryl Getzy in your prayers.

## PUBLICATIONS REPORT BY KEN DEKEN

If any of our new members are not getting the "MailChimp" emails, please send an email to [kfdeken@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kfdeken@sbcglobal.net) and I will get you added to the list.

## GOVERNOR'S REPORT BY TOM BOYADJIS

As a reminder, the Regional Banquet will be March 9th at Double Tree in Avon. We have been asked to donate a raffle basket valued at approximately \$100. If anyone has an item (product of Lake or Geauga counties) that you would like to donate for the basket, please contact either Bill Faunce or Ken/Bobbi Deken. They are also having a slide show loop play during the banquet.

The link to the region events website is shown below:  
<http://eornccc.org/#events>

The 2024 Convention will be May 13-18, 2024 in Joplin, MO. Registration opens Feb. 1st. Information can be obtained on website.

**The link** to the National Corvette Museum Ambassador section on the website is [HERE](#).

JUNE 15-16 weekend we will hold three (3) sanctioning events on Saturday in conjunction with Corvette Cleveland (they will sanction the other four) and (7) seven of our own sanctions on Sunday at Painesville Speedway. Upcoming information will be posted as we get closer to the event.

## CHARITY NEWS

A check for \$500 was presented to the Salvation Army of Lake County and was greatly appreciated. Donna Bullis who leads the SA Children's Programs agreed to come to one of our meetings in the April-June time frame to personally thank us and update us on the programs.

## OLD BUSINESS

Our Birthday Celebration held at the Lost Nation Club Lounge was a good time for 44 party people. We had great food, a fun "team" quiz regarding Corvettes, good music (sometimes too loud – sorry, and dancing, line and otherwise! So many dancers in the CCA! The decorations of posters of our events, cars and members provided fun reminiscences. Thanks to all those who helped and attended. (And late news, Treasurer Dave reported that we broke even on the event!)

We also learned that our club will be 50 years old next year, so plan ahead for ideas to celebrate this milestone.

## NEW BUSINESS

We have booked the Concord Woods shelter for our summer picnics (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month) and our great cooks have announced that they will volunteer once again this year. Now that is good news!

## NEXT MEETING

**The next meeting will be at The Spot restaurant (7272 Lakeshore Boulevard, Mentor) on the 13<sup>th</sup> of March. Join us for dinner at 6PM. The meeting begins at 7:00 p.m.**

The Meeting was adjourned at 8 PM.

*Minutes were submitted*

*by Carol Rinehart, CCA Secretary*