

EVENT SUMMARY



**CORVETTE
DRAG RACING**

Saturday—September 16, 2023



We met at the Ole Woodfield Sears parking lot, section F4, for the journey to Byron Dragway. The weather looked a bit gloomy, but that didn't mean the event would be doomed. Dean, Leslie and myself took to the road for Byron. Yes, there were bouts of drizzle on the way, but we pushed on anyways to check out the situation when we arrived. When we got there, a little after 9 AM, the place was filled with trailers and cars and no rain, the races were on!

The only disappointment was that there were no North Shore Corvette Club members there to race against. We stuck around spectating till 2:30 PM and departed to our later commitments with others.



The day was quite enjoyable, watching a variety of cars bracket racing. There were some real pro groups that showed the

commitment that they put to the sport. The different bracket divisions filtered down to basic cars and trucks, so everyone had their fair competition. No one broke their cars, so there were no delays and the day went smoothly for all the racers and the track was very well maintained and prepped. In fact, Byron now has lights, meaning that it is open well after sunset. Not sure if we will be back there this year, but the new owners are making improvements for a better experience. And with that being said, we were all winners today.

Thanks, Frank Punzio

