

# *Vette Gazette*



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CLUB**

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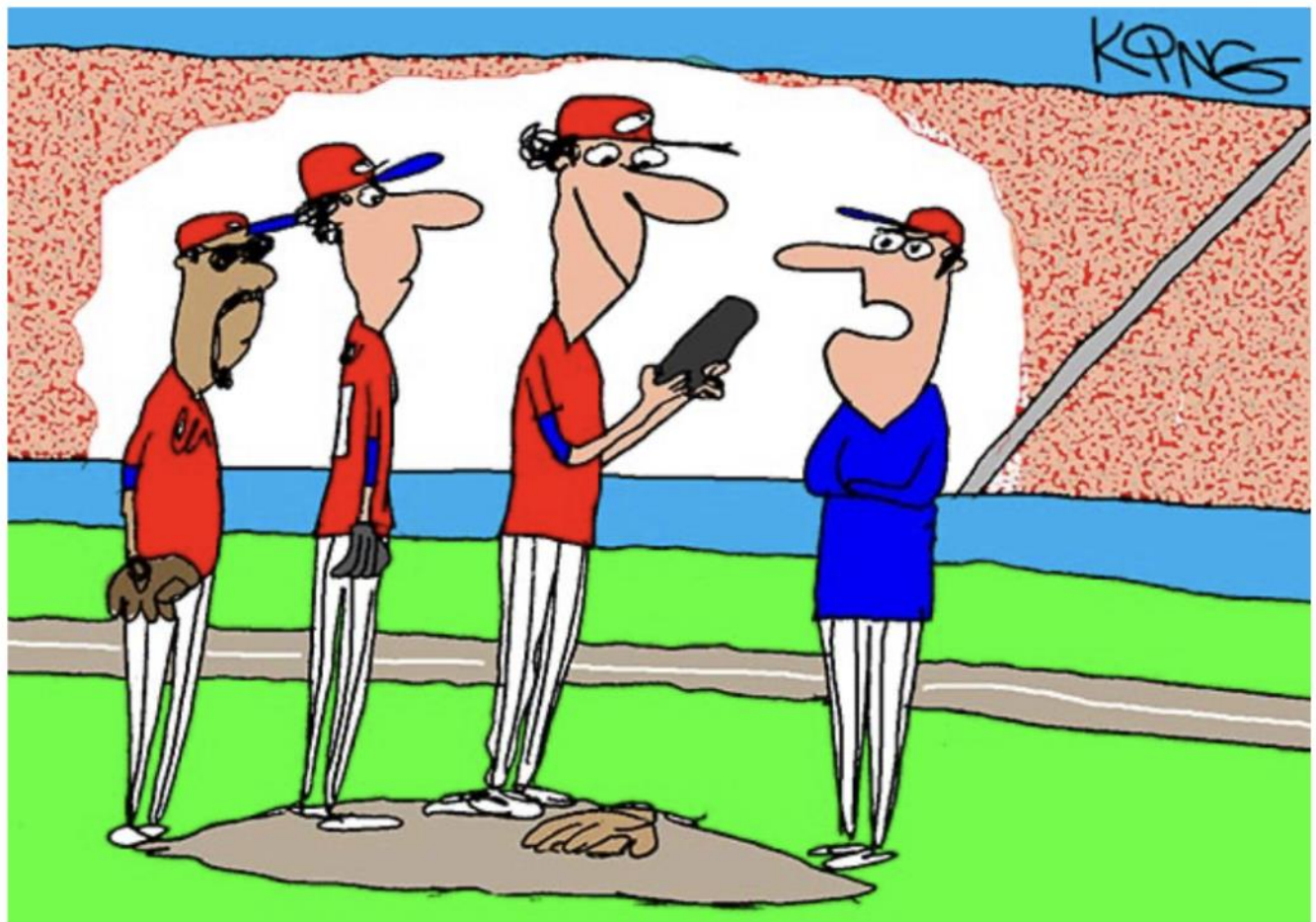


**This is a picture of some of the participants that traveled to the NCM for the BASH. We had a total of 26 participants and 24 of our NSCC members that were at the 2023 NCM BASH. Not everyone was able to be in the group picture but everyone had a great time with the factory tour and all the events available.**

# *NSCC Comedy Corner*



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**“Must you look at photos of your new Corvette Z06 after every pitch? Your making this game last forever!”**

# The President's Message



Tom Arvidson - President

**May 2023**

**by Tom Arvidson**

**It's been a wonderful ride!**

**H**ere I am typing my last page as my tenure as President of the North Shore Corvette Club comes to an end. For those of you who have been in the club for a while, you'll remember my first term as President which ran for 9 years. After a break to attend to family matters, I took the position as President for the last three years.

From my beginning in 1999 with the North Shore Corvette Club, I have been impressed with the variety of events and the dedicated members who work so hard to make sure we all enjoy our Corvettes and our friends.

I felt a need to help with the club and took several positions. Member at Large, Secretary, Governor, Vice President, Webmaster and President. I enjoyed the ability to help organize the management of this great club. It is very satisfying to see the smiles on your friends faces and know you had something to do with that.

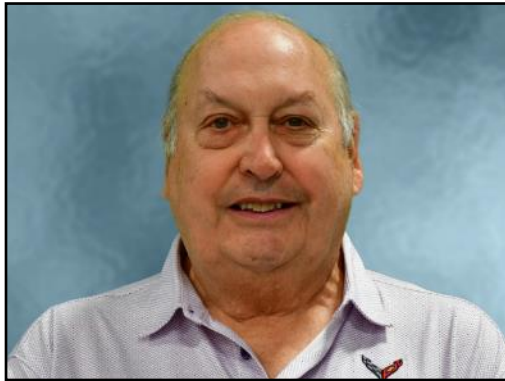
The new 2023-2024 Board of Directors will have several new faces of people who are joining the Board for the first time. Let's congratulate them and thank them for their providing their dedication to make this club as fun as it is.

I want to thank you all for allowing me to lead this organization and provide whatever talent and skills I could offer. It has been an honor to be part of some of the history of the North Shore Corvette Club.

**I look forward to seeing you on the Road. Enjoy the ride....**

*Tom*

# Letter from the Editor



Jerry Mulick - Publications and  
NCM Ambassador

**May 2023**

by Jerry Mulick

**Elections are coming with a Social at  
our May 17th Membership meeting.**

**T**his is my last newsletter and I want to welcome Richard Stockman as your new editor starting with the June Newsletter.

I hope in the last several years I have provided the members with information, pictures, cartoons, updates during covid, and some interesting Corvette Triva for everyone. It is an interesting task to try to provide a new newsletter every month.

With the election this month the new board is going to ask all the members for comments and ideas on what they would like or not like to make our membership meetings and activities more enjoyable and interesting for everyone. As always the club is also interested in new activities and trips for all of our members. We want to encourage all of our members to submit to our activities chairperson Frank Punzio any new ideas you may have for anything that the club members would participate in or help host.

As a reminder this is the **Fifty year celebration of our Club** and we hope to have a really great 50 year Banquet on **January 20, 2024**. We hope that all of you will be able to attend.

***We owe a big Thanks to Tom Arvidson and Debbie Monnier for all their great work and guidance over these last many years for our club. They will be missed.***

*Jerry*

# Safety Tip of the Month



Ken Such - Safety Chairman

**May 2023**

by Ken Such

## **Bring your car out of storage**

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### **Things to do when you get your car out of storage**

**Initial inspection-** look under vehicle for leaks, oil, water or anti-freeze. Check in the vehicle for any mice or rodents.

**Be sure to check exhaust pipe(s)** if you plugged it during storage.

**Brake inspection-** sit in vehicle and slowly press pedal then press really hard. Check for leaks in the engine compartment and underside.

**Engine oil** -hopefully you changed the oil before storage. If not, change the oil as soon as possible to remove any containments.

**Tires** – pressure lost during the winter is common. Good time to check if there is any cracking.

**Starting vehicle** – start vehicle and look around for any leaks and listen for strange noises. Time to drive- start with a slow trip around the block and re-check for leaks and any new noises.

***If everything is good – happy motoring.***

*Ken*



# NORTH SHORE CORVETTE CLUB

## OUR CAR SHOW FLYER



Sunday, July 23, 2023  
9:00 AM TO 2:00 PM  
Rain Date July 30, 2023  
Check in begins at 8:00 AM



Lynch Chevrolet  
10901 75th St,  
Pleasant Prairie, WI

North Shore  
Corvette  
Club  
50 Years

Chevrolet  
Corvette  
70 Years

  
Donations collected  
For Pleasant Prairie  
Police K9 Fund.

  
Trophies Awarded  
for  
Best in Class  
and  
Class Winner

All Chevy Car Show  
Featuring Corvettes

  
Raffles!  
50/50!  
Dash Plaques!  
*(while supplies last)*

  
Great Food! DJ!  
Registration  
\$20.00 per car



  
LOCATION  
Lynch Chevrolet  
10901 75th St,  
Pleasant Prairie, WI

  
Dealers Choice  
Award  
Vendor Spaces

**SHOW INFORMATION:**  
Tom Arvidson—847-902-6084  
carshow@NorthShoreCorvetteClub.org  
www.NorthShoreCorvetteClub.org

From our Constitution **ARTICLE 2** **ELECTIONS**

- A. At a Board of Directors meeting to be held not later than the March membership meeting, the Board of Directors shall select a Nominating Committee consisting of (3) members. The Nominating Committee shall obtain from the membership the names of the members nominated for each position on the Board of Directors and submit the names at the April membership meeting.
- B. The elections shall take place at the May membership meeting and shall be by ballot. The nominees receiving the most votes for the positions will be declared the winner.
- C. Any Member who holds or desires to run for an elected position who sells or disposes of their Corvette, but wants to retain their eligibility for the elected position in the club; has a 60-day grace period to replace their Corvette, or (2) the member may request a hearing from the Board of Directors to retain their eligibility for the elected position.
- D. In the event of a vacancy in any office, the Board of Directors shall appoint a member to fill the vacancy. Such appointment shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Board of Directors. This shall be accomplished as quickly as possible to reduce the time a position is vacant.
- E. Members wishing to vote by absentee ballot may request a ballot with instructions from the club secretary. If the instructions on the ballot are not followed, the ballot will be considered null and void.
- F. There shall be three (3) ballot counters at all times, one of which shall be a member of the Board of Directors.
- G. Ballots will be made available for recount if so requested by any persons running for that specific office.
- H. For any member to be considered eligible for nomination to any elected club position, he or she must either be presented at the nominating meeting or make his or her intentions known in writing and in the hands of the club Secretary five (5) days prior to the nominating meeting. No NSCC member shall hold, be nominated or elected to an office in NSCC while holding any official position in an other car-oriented club. Any potential conflicts will be addressed by the existing board. The Board's decision will be final.
- I. Any member wishing to run for the position of President must have served a minimum of two (2) terms on the Board of Directors in an position. The two terms must have been served during the member's present and contiguous years of membership. The two terms do not have to be served contiguously during that period of time.



## NORTH SHORE CORVETTE CLUB

### CORVETTE TRIVA QUESTIONS

1. When the St. Louis plant started building the 1964 Corvette in December of 1963 the plant was designed to build 10,000 Corvettes a year. *True or False*
2. The most popular exterior color in 2001 A . Speedway White B. Black C. Millennium Yellow D. Torch Red.
3. The Grand Sport model was available in 2010 *True or False*
4. The base engine for the 1992 Corvette was the LT1 which had 300 HP *True or False*
5. The 1982 and 1984 engines had “Cross Fire Injection” *True or False.*
6. The 1975 Corvette Convertible was the last Convertible built until 1987. *True or False.*
7. In the production of the 1985 Corvette only 16 orders were received for the UN8 option (AM-FM Stereo with Citizens Band Radio ) *True or False.*
8. In 1961 the Corvette did not have the heavy “teeth” in the grill area . *True or False .*
9. In 2008 the ZO6 had an engine with 427 ci engine rated at 505 HP . *True or False.*
10. In 1990 the ZR1 was introduced with 375 HP LT5 engine and the extra cost option was \$27,016.00 . *True or False*
11. In 1990 the Callaway Twin-Turbo option cost an extra \$26,893.00 *True or False*

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Here's an update of upcoming club activities. Visit the [Club Events page](#) on our website for an up-to-date list of events and event flyers.

**May's Membership Meeting will be at  
Blackdog Speed Shop —600 Barclay Blvd,  
Lincolnshire, IL 60069**

## **We're In-Person and on Zoom**

NSCC will hold an in-person Membership Meeting on Wednesday, May 17th at 7:00 pm at Blackdog Speed Shop 600 Barclay Blvd, Lincolnshire, IL 60069

**This month will be an election and a social so  
bring a dessert to share!**

The meeting will also be on Zoom. On your computer or smart device click on the following link to download Zoom and connect to our meeting:

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4436358311>  
Passcode: NSCC

If you are using a phone you may listen to the audio by calling [312-626-6799](tel:312-626-6799).

Meeting ID: [443 635 8311](#)  
Passcode: [650561](#)

# North Shore Corvette Club Charity Team

## *Charity Team Vision, Mission and Values*

### **Vision:**

To collectively show we care about, volunteer for, and assist where help is needed in our local communities.

### **Mission:**

We of the North Shore Corvette Club Charity Team will work together with our membership body to provide our time and no club funded resources, helping and assisting a variety of local charity organizations who improve the lives of those in need.

### **Values:**

- *Commitment.* We are committed to guiding the membership in caring and rewarding charitable activities.
- *Integrity.* We will carry out all our charity work with responsibility and accountability.
- *Creativity.* We will provide a variety of diverse and fun charitable activities for our member's participation.
- *Service.* It is our honor and privilege to place others before ourselves with our charity activities.



*Gale Egle - Team Leader*



*Deb Monnier*



*Donna McKenzie*



*Jeannie Domerchie*



*Debbie Stein*



*Susan Stockman*



*Mark Anderson*



# Where are the event flyers?

They're right where they've always been...

## On our website!

Go to the [Club Events page](#) at [northshorecorvetteclub.org](http://northshorecorvetteclub.org) to see flyers of all our events.

You can even download the flyers to your computer from the documents library.

[Click here to download the 2023/2024 Activities Planner](#)



# What's Happening

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<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>HOST</b>
<b>May 13</b>	<b>Drag Racing</b>	<b>Byron Dragway Byron, IL</b>	<b>Frank Punzio</b>
<b>May 13</b>	<b>Wrench Day</b>	<b>Jerry Kelly Home</b>	<b>Sohrab Vaid</b>
<b>May 17</b>	<b>Election &amp; Social</b>	<b>Blackdog Speed Shop</b>	<b>The NSCC Club</b>
<b>May 18</b>	<b>Social at City Works in Vernon Hills</b>	<b>John &amp; Nancy Jakubco</b>	
<b>May 18-19, 2023</b>	<b>St Jude Corvette Drive</b>	<b>The Ullberg's &amp; Burba's</b>	
<b>May 20</b>	<b>Autocross Event</b>		<b>Frank Punzio</b>
<b>June 2-3, 2023</b>	<b>Bloomington Gold</b>	<b>Normal, IL</b>	<b>Jerry &amp; Felicia Mulick</b>
<b>Aug 24-26, 2023</b>	<b>Corvettes At Carlisle</b>		<b>Richard &amp; Susan Stockman</b>

# NEWS FROM THE NCM



## Upcoming Museum In Motion Events

The National Corvette Museum is unlike most other museums in the world. Though located in Bowling Green, Kentucky—the Museum is proud to have members from all across the country and even internationally. In an effort to bring the Museum to the enthusiasts, a selection of excursions are offered each year. Branded “Museum in Motion”, the program features tours around the United States as well as Canada England and France. The Museum in Motion events combine the fun of driving, socializing with other Corvette enthusiasts, sightseeing and visiting unique places—including many V.I.P. and behind the scenes opportunities that only the Museum can get you.

Past tours have taken participants into places not usually accessible to the public including Milford Proving Grounds, Consumer Reports Auto Test Division, GM Heritage Center and Pratt & Miller.

### Upcoming Museum in Motion Events

**May 2023 –August 2024**

- June 3, 2023 MiM LeMans Tour**
- June 4, 2023 MiM Charlotte Experience**
- July 9, 2023 MiM Alaska Cruise**
- Aug, 31 2023 29th Anniversary Celebration of NCM**
- July 11, 2023 MIM Alaska Cruise**
- Sept 24 2023 MiM National Parks Tour**
- Aug 29-31, 2024 7th National Corvette Caravan to NCM**

*For more information on MiM events see NCM website.*

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Donna Kauppi	05/01	Sharlene Wayman	06/02
Rick Chafetz	05/03	Joanne Kloepfer	06/12
Cary Goldberg	05/06	Tom Traficanti	06/12
Debbie Monnier	05/17	Todd Van Slyke	06/14
Evelyn Punzio	05/18	Frank Nimesheim	06/15
Terry Kylo	05/21	Joann Lowry	06/18
Loren McLean	05.23	Pamela Nelson	06/21
Michael Galloway	05/25	Marshall Kanter	06/21
Gregory Jensen	05/25	Joel Karlinsky	06/22
Al Wyman	05/27	Dalton Cmiel	06/22
Christina Feil	05/27	Don Fiore	06/23
Donna Ahlgrim	05/28	Tom Ford	06/23
Chris Jentel	05/28	Pamm Seifert	06/24
Burke Oehrlein	05/29	Patrice Heuer	06/29
Suzanne Oehrlein	05/30	Jill Burke	06/29
Vincent Colbert	05/30	Heidi Rivera	06/30
John Jakubco	06/01	Jerry Mulick	06/30





# WELCOME



**NSCC would like to give a warm welcome to the following new members:**

**Edward & Karen Faulkner**

**2007 Red Convertible**

**Libertville, Illinois**

**To these new members I owe a sincere apology for not having the correct spelling of their names last month.**

**Mark Howland**

**2004 Silver Z06 Coupe**

**Lake Forest, Illinois**

**Edward Kolodziej**

**2023 Z06 Corvette**



**We're happy you could join us! Enjoy the ride!**

Keep in mind. When a member refers a person to the NSCC and they join the club, the referring member will receive 12 Crossed Flags points.

# 2022-2023 NSCC Board of Directors



Tom Arvidson - President



Mark Anderson - Vice President



Donna McKenzie - Secretary



Jeannie Domerchie - Treasurer



Frank Punzio - Activities



Jerry Mulick - Publications



Debbie Monnier - Membership



Tom Arvidson - Webmaster



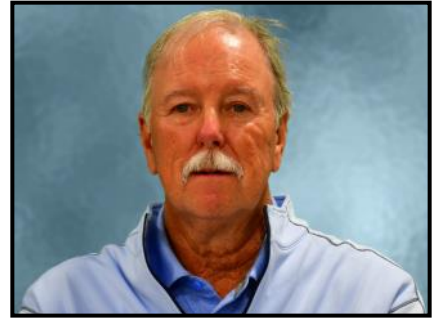
Ken Such - Safety



Jim Barnich—Governor



Geoff Harlow Member at Large



Bill Domerchie - Member at Large



Gale Egle- Member at Large



Sohrab Vaid Member at Large





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## **CORVETTE TRIVA ANSWERS**

1. **TRUE** only built 3,640
2. **D**
3. **TRUE**
4. **TRUE**
5. **TRUE**
6. **FALSE** 1986 The next Convertible was available
7. **TRUE**
8. **TRUE**
9. **TRUE**
10. **TRUE**
11. **TRUE**

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**These pictures are from back in 1973 and 1974 when our club was formed. On June 21, 2023 at our membership meeting (Original Member Burke Oehrlein will give us a presentation of how the club was formed and the early history of NSCC.**

***May 2023***

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**Sting Ray bodies enroute from the A.O. Smith facility in Ionia, MI to the Corvette Assembly plant in St. Louis, MO, 1964**



***May 2023***