

Corvette Cruisers of Greater Daytona

The Talepipe Newsletter



December 2009

President: Bob Compton, Vice President: Jim Quinn, Secretary: Leslie Armstrong, Treasurer: Alice Luther, Directors: Ginny Quinn, Art Armstrong, Ed Doyle, Newsletter Editor: Jim Quinn

Our monthly meetings are held at the Club House Restaurant located at the Daytona Beach Municipal Golf Course the third Tuesday of each month. We invite you to dine with us starting at 6:00 PM, with the meeting starting at 7:00.

BOTR:

There was a nice showing of club members assembled for the trip to New Smyrna Beach to lunch at Boston's Fish House. Couples joining the group were the Doyle's, Compton's, Luther's and Dave and Mia. Flying single were Leslie and Lars. Everyone has a great time and a great meal. Art was absent because he was attending the 1st Annual Car Show at the Dog Track. Art did take home a plaque for attending the show.

A BOTR for December was not scheduled. Everyone should go on their own and scout out some new places we could go to in 2010.

Next scheduled BOTR will be on January 10th where we will meet at Beall's at 9:00 AM and travel up to Palm Coast to dine at the European Village Shopping Center located under the bridge over the inner coastal waterway.

Silver Springs Show:

We had a great showing of members who made the trip to Marion County for the gathering of Corvettes at Silver Springs. The Corvette Club of Marion County did another spectacular job of putting on a show. Although the attendance appeared to be down from last year's show, there were many new Vettes there including a ZR1 and a Grande Sport. Both their owners were very willing to talk about their Vettes and it was very informative.

Making the show were the Compton's, Doyle's, O'Leary's, Konopsky's, Fedele's, Fitzpatrick's, Quinn's, Jack and Yvonne, Armstrong's in the '67, flying single were, John L., and John R..

Congratulations to Mike and Jack who were among the winners of the people's choice awards.

New Officers:

The election of new officers and board members took place by affirmation since only one person was running for each office and only three for the board positions.

The new officers and board are;

Jim Quinn, president
Art Armstrong, vice president
Jean Doyle, secretary
Alice Luther, Treasurer
Bob Compton, board member
Ginny Quinn, board member
Chuck Konopsky, board member

Board Meeting:

President Jim would like to schedule a meeting for the new officers and board member in January before the regular business meeting. First choice for a date is Jan 13th. Please advise Jim if this is inconvenient for any of the board.

Christmas Party:

This year we are holding this annual event at the Ormond Beach Steak House. The date is December 8th. Come around 6:00 to enjoy our happy hour. We have a room reserved and the club will buy you one beverage of choice as its present to you. Meals will be ordered off the menu and you will be responsible for your own tab and tip. There are also six twenty dollar door prizes to be raffled off that evening as well as a gift of car care products donated by Dave.

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The Ormond Beach Steak House is located in the Trails Shopping Center on Nova Road just north of Granada in Ormond. This is always a fun event so I hope you have made your reservation with Alice so there will be a place for you at the table.

Dress is to be Holiday Casual, which means not formal but not beach attire. Hope that explains it.

Dues:

I hope everyone has paid their dues. If you haven't please get with Alice and pay up or you will not be a member in "good standing". Dues are \$75.00 and were due last month.

Charitable Donation:

The STAR Center (Support + Teamwork Achieves Results) is the local charity to which CCGD will be sending \$300.00. The contribution is CCGD's fall charity which was selected at our last meeting.

See <http://www.homelessindaytona.org/> for additional information.

Welcome:

New members to the Corvette Cruisers include Dave Huber and his friend Mia. Dave has been attending club functions since September. Friends of Pete Z. attended the November meeting. We would like to welcome George and Pat Manning to the club. They purchased Pete's '92 C4 roadster so I guess they wanted to keep the car in the club.

We would also like to welcome back Jackie and Warren. Who have been traveling during the summer. It was a long wait but Jackie finally received her trophies for the Mini Golf Tourney. She was awarded a trophy for high score in a game and high total for the tourney.

Key West Trip:

Rooms are going fast. Sadie had booked 7 rooms for our stay and already 6 have been spoken for. If you are planning to go and haven't spoken up yet you best get in touch with Sadie and give her your deposit. The trip is planned from April 29th to May 2nd. We will be staying at the Best Western Hibiscus Motel in Key West.

Turkey Run Show:

The show will run from Thursday Nov. 26th thru Sunday Nov. 29th. This year all years of show quality vehicles are welcome to participate. It appears that some of our members are interested in attending this show. Although no official location in the show field has been set up. Those interested in entering the show together should contact Jim so a time and

place to meet prior to entering the track can be set up.

Dave Huber has a vendor spot at the show. Dave sells car care products and has offered to have a drawing for some of his products for those attending the show. If you are attending the show stop by his booth and register for the drawing. His vendor's spot is located in the vendor area near turn 1 of the track.

Birthday Greetings:

Little Christmas presents born in December were; Sadie on the 3rd and Chuck on the 10th. Happy Birthday to you

50 / 50:

Jean was the lucky winner of the 50/50 jackpot. Congratulations Jean.



Congratulations to our Silver Springs winners



BOTR to Boston's



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the editor and staff of the Talepipe Newsletter