

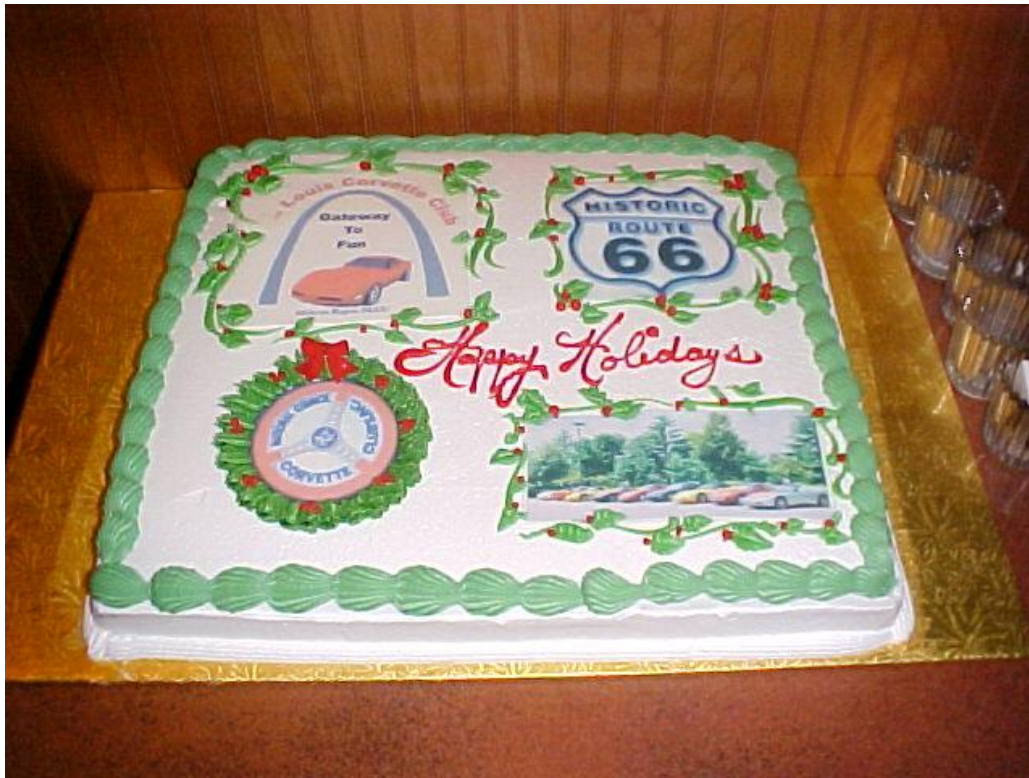
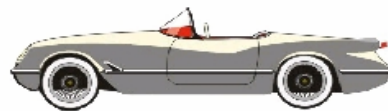
St. Louis Corvette Club



Gateway News

January 2006

Next Meeting Jan. 3, 2006





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www.stlcorvettes.net

National Council of Corvette Clubs
www.corvettesnccc.org

National Corvette Museum
www.corvettemuseum.com

Boon Trail Corvette Club
www.boontrailcc.com

Looking Glass Corvette Club
www.jackschmitt.com

Original Corvette Club
www.occofstl.com

Route 66 Corvette Club
www.route66corvetteclub.com

Purpose of St. Louis Corvette Club:

To enjoy the Corvette through association with other Corvette owners. To have fun on many levels through social events, road trips, car shows, charity events and competition as each person wishes. To actively promote and work for the advancement of St. Louis Corvette Club and it's activities. To respect the differences and wishes of each STLCC club member.

It was a "Corvette Day" and Susan and I were enjoying the weather and the ride. There were other Corvettes out that day which greatly enhanced the beauty & pleasure of the moment. Sometimes there would be another Corvette in traffic up ahead; sometimes there would be another Corvette a distance behind. At times, we would be side by side. I don't know where they were going; they didn't know where we were going. But the fact remained to be that we were all in our Corvettes, enjoying the ride, and going somewhere. Apparently, there was a common thread in all our thinking because we all were driving the same type of car. Yet, we were all individually going our separate ways. But the dominant fact is that we were all enjoying the ride.

Now, the St. Louis Corvette Club drives forward into 2006. As we proceed, there will be times when we are in the lead and times when we will be back in the traffic. It's important to be aware of where the other cars are in the traffic, but it's not so important if they are ahead of us or behind us. Neither is it important who is in the other car. What IS important is who is in your car, where you are going and that you & your passenger are enjoying the ride and the beauty & pleasure of the moment.

I look forward to 2006 being a prosperous and fun-filled year and invite club members and all Corvette enthusiasts to join in as we cruise into the future.

Rick Frierdich

President, St Louis Corvette Club

BIRTHDAYS**ANNIVERSARIES**

Bonnie Ruengert	1/6
Mary Ann Hagenow	1/9
Mike Price	1/11
Don Bradford	1/22
Marty Dooley	1/25
Carl Cox	1/26

No Anniversaries to announce this month

Hi, Just a little note from your NCM Ambassador.
Not too much going on in Bowling Green this time
of year, but if you need January birthday present
or wish to do your Valentine shopping early, remember
the NCM Store. You can shop on line at corvettemuseum.com.
You can also get a raffel ticket from me for \$10.00 at the meeting.
or from Sharon Ballinger.

See you soon
Judy Dooley

Hi from Karen. Very little in the way of minutes. We had a great time at the
Christmas party and the new board met the other evening and we have some great
things planned for the up coming year. Be sure to see Rick's letter, the financial
statement and pictures from the party, see you at the January meeting.

Karen Price

ST. LOUIS CORVETTE CLUB
THURSDAY NIGHT DINNER SCHEDULE
Meet at 6:30 p.m.

January, 2006

Date	Restaurant	Location	Phone No.
1/05/06	Joe Boccardi's	117 S. Main, Columbia, IL	618-281-6700
1/12/06	B. Donovan's Grill	568 Old Smizer Mill Road, Fenton, MO (141 & 30 in Dierberg's Fenton Plaza)	636-343-9268
1/19/06	Houlihan's	384 Crestwood Plaza	314-963-9994
1/26/06	Jack Son's	6655 Manchester	314-645-4904

Contact Marty or Judy Dooley for January Dinners
Jmdooley6493@aol.com
(314) 894-0303

The following is the list of members which received certificates for their contributions either through planning or sponsoring an event or volunteer work to help with the operations of the club.

2005 Board Members	Certificate for:	
Marty Dooley	President	
Rick Frierdich	Vice President	
June Huch	Secretary	
Fran Wienstroer	Treasurer	
Peggy Craig	Membership Chairperson	
Judy Dooley	Sergeant-at-Arms	
Carl Ballinger	NCCC Governor	
Sharon Ballinger	NCM Ambassador	
By-Laws Committee	Ron Huch, Ron Miesner, Charlie Miget, Rick Berving & Bill Dotson	
Club Sponsor	Route 66 Chevrolet	Jim Wand
Webmaster	Ed Lee	
Publications Chairman	Jerry Craig/Mike Price	
Events Chairperson(s)	Rich & Theresa Luebcke	
Nominating Committee for 2006 Election of Officers	Jan & Gary Murray	

Date	2005 Events	Sponsors
2/13/05	Valentine Day Brunch	Rich & Theresa Luebcke
3/06/05	Road trip to Blue Springs	Ron & June Huch
3/13/05	Fast Eddies	Kent Lissa
3/20/05	Spontaneous Event to Pioneer Cabin Restaurant	Steve Pearl
4/02/05	Mid America Swapfest	Dick Mericle
4/03/05	Spontaneous Event to Old Brick Restaurant	Steve Pearl
4/09/05	VA Hospital Work /Day	Mary & Fran Wienstroer
4/21-23/05	NCM C5/C6 Bash	Rich & Theresa Luebcke
5/07/05	Rt. 66 Chevrolet Car Show	Shirley Berving
5/22/05	Poker Run	Marty & Judy Dooley
6/3-5/05	Bowling Green, Ky Road Run	Jerry & Armynta Craig
5/17-6/21-7/13	Fritz's Ice Cream Social	Peggy Craig
6/26/05	Dreamland Palace	Ron & Carol Miesner
7/04/05	Webster Groves 4 th of July Parade	Bill Dotson
7/17/05	Scott AFB Brunch	Susan & Rick Friedrich
7/28/05	Vettes on the Rockies	Rich & Theresa Luebcke & Judy Dooley
8/21/05	VA Hospital Car Show	Mary & Fran Wienstroer
9/03/05	Columbia, IL Car Show	Ron Huch
9/16-18/05	Mid America Funfest	Marty & Judy Dooley
9/17/05	POW Parade	Bob Tucker
9/24/05	STLCC Picnic	Board Members (Marty/ Judy/June/Fran/Rick, Peggy)
9/29/05	Eureka Springs Weekend	Carl & Sharon Ballinger
10/15-16/05	October Autocross	Carl & Sharon Ballinger
10/29/05	Fall Color Tour	Rich & Theresa Luebcke
11/05/05	Veterans Day Parade	Rick & Susan Friedrich
12/10/05	Christmas Banquet	Rich & Theresa Luebcke, Sharon Ballinger, Karen Price & Jackie Miget

St. Louis Corvette Club
Statement of Accounts

Treasurer Report submitted by: Jerry Fain

Balance November 20, 2005 \$5,607.43

Income:

Rte. 66 Autocross \$720.00

Membership dues

50/50 Monies

Christmas Party \$825.00

\$7,152.43

Disbursements:

NCCC dues

Newsletter (Mike Price)

Christmas Party ; (Marty Dooley) \$1,132.65

Incredible Engravings (Name Badges) \$345.56

Flowers ; Christmas Party (M. Dooley) \$76.55

Stainless steel cups (Marketing Products Group) \$360.71

Club Ending Balance December 20, 2005 **\$5,236.96**

VA Fund \$38.50



Paying my respects to President and Mrs Friedrich









Meeting Location

Hessler's Pub
11804 Tesson Ferry

Directions:

East of I-270 on Tesson Ferry
between 270 and Lindberg.

Next meeting

*As a courtesy to our
members, no smoking is
permitted during the
meeting.*

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