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**GREATER DAYTON CORVETTE CLUB (GDCC)**  
**Minutes – May 18, 2022**

President Freddie Haugh called the meeting to order. Thirty-nine members were in attendance.

**GUESTS:**

None.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Freddie:

- Thanked Dan Gorby and Donna Tucker for hosting lunch and a day trip to the Mansfield Reformatory on April 28th.
- Received a thank you card from Denise Kuntz for the cards and flowers the Club sent in the passing of her father.
- Said that July 30<sup>th</sup> is not a good date for a Club picture with the C-17. Greg Fagan is working on another date.
- Will have two Corvette leather jackets for sale at the next meeting. One is large/tall brown and the other is a large black. The jackets belonged to Mike Jones. Mike's sister asked her to sell them and donate the money to the Club. Freddie will have at the next meeting or sooner.

**VICE PRESIDENT:**

Bob Haugh called for the following committee reports:

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

Larry Kopa motioned dispensing with reading of the April minutes. Pat Frymyer seconded.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Herbie Smith:

- Provided the report.
- Stated that we received \$200.00 from Bud's Chevrolet who sponsor our Club.

**SOCIAL:**

Donna Tucker provided the following:

- May 19: Mecum Auction at Indianapolis State Fairgrounds. Contact Tom Brooks if interested in making the trip.
- May 21: Wilderness Trail Distillery Corvette Cruise-in, Danville KY.
- May 24: Dinner out (6:00 p.m.) Mel-O-Dee Restaurant, New Carlisle OH, hosted by Dean and Carol Tavener.
- June 4: Brookville Car Show, Brookville OH. Gates open at 3:00 p.m. Cost is \$10.00 per car.
- June 4: Mississinewa Valley Car Show, Marion IN.
- June 12: GDCC Corvette Car Show 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Fairborn OH.
- June 17: Day ride and dinner at Uncle Beth's BBQ, Lewisburg OH and a stop at the ice cream store in West Liberty OH. More information to follow.
- June 24: Dinner out (5:00 p.m.) Ann and Tony's Restaurant, West Jefferson OH, hosted by Bob and Freddie Haugh.
- July 9/10: Berea Craft Festival, Berea KY. Reservations are now closed.
- July 15: Dinner out (4:00 p.m. - ?), Rip Rap Road House, Dayton OH hosted by Herbie and Judy Smith. There will be parking in the fenced off area (corral) for Corvettes. If needed, the rain date is July 22.
- August 5: Picnic at Hills & Dales Metro Park, PawPaw shelter sponsored by Dan and Donna. The Club will provide chicken and members are asked to bring a side dish, salad, dessert, or

appetizer and their own drinks. She will take up a collection on this day to offset the rental fee for the shelter.

- August 13: Ft. Thomas Car Show, Newport KY.
- August TBD: Dinner out, Treasure Island, Moraine OH, hosted by Jay Robinson.
- September 9-10: East Tennessee Vette Fest, Gatlinburg TN. Freddie has information if you would like to book a room at Glenstone Lodge.
- September 16-17: Mid-America Motorworks Corvette Funfest 2022, Effingham IL. Registration is now open.
- September TBD: Dinner out hosted by Tom and Starlene Brooks.
- October 2: Glass City Car Show, Toledo OH.

### MEMBERSHIP:

Carol Tavener:

- Reported that we have 155 members.
- Sent sympathy cards to Ralph Berenics and Denise Kuntz.
- Stated that she cannot accept any more reservations for the May 24 dinner out to Mel-O-Dee. She asked those who are attending to be patient with the wait staff as this will be a large group to serve.

### PUBLIC RELATIONS:

No report.

### NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM (NCM) AMBASSADOR:

Tom Brooks discussed the following:

- Commented on the NCM Bash:
  - Only four members (2 cars) of the Club went to the NCM Bash. Several hundred people with Corvettes from around the nation attended.
  - General Motors engineers presented details of the Z06 at the Thursday night dinner.
  - The Friday night appreciation dinner had Museum members discuss the building addition of an education gallery. This effort will support the goal to be a fully accredited museum by offering more educational involvement.
- Beginning May 27<sup>th</sup> the Museum will host an exhibition "Race to Win" a Hot Wheels hands on demonstration.
- The GDCC brick has become rather worn as it has seen a lot of pedestrian traffic because of its location.
- Informed the Club of the following raffles:
  - June 16: 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Edition. Tickets are \$200.00 each. Out of 1,500 tickets only 900 have been sold.
  - July 14: Hypersonic Gray. Tickets are \$100.00 each. Out of 2,000 tickets only 250 have been sold.
  - September 3: Red Mist Corvette. Tickets are \$20.00 each. There is no limit as to the number of tickets that will be sold.
- There are three cars going to the Mecum auction on Thursday. There are approximately 3,000 cars scheduled to be auctioned.

### PRESIDENT:

Old Business:

Freddie:

- Still has applications to join the National Corvette Museum. Check out their website for all that they offer.

- Stated that seven GDCC Corvettes made the trip to Columbus for the Corvette only car show hosted by the Chosen Few Corvette Club on May 14<sup>th</sup>. There were approximately 400 Corvettes who participated.
- Said that anyone interested in participating in the July 4<sup>th</sup> Americana Parade in Centerville or the Kettering Holiday at Home Parade on September 5<sup>th</sup>, to see her after the meeting.

Nancy Winterbotham reminded members of the Brookville Car Show on June 4<sup>th</sup>. She said they always support our car show and that we should support theirs. GDCC members are asked to be at Giovanni's on June 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m. to help set up for our car show. Also, GDCC members will be required to pay the \$10.00 entry fee but will not receive a goodie bag.

New Business:

Freddie:

- Received information for the following and has copies of flyers for anyone interested:
  - Wilderness Trail Corvette Cruise-in, May 21, Danville KY
  - Somernites Cruise-in, May 27-28, Somerset KY
  - Brookville Car Show, June 4, Brookville OH
  - Whitewater Valley All Corvette Cruise-in, June 19, Connersville IN
  - Voss Hoss Cruise-In, July 22, Centerville OH
  - East Tennessee Vette Fest, September 9–10, Glenstone Lodge, Gatlinburg TN
  - Ohio Corvette Gathering, September 11, Lancaster OH
- Is taking orders for name tags. See her after the meeting if you would like to order one. The more that are ordered the less the cost.

Greg Fagan is working with the 445<sup>th</sup> and Base Commander for an August 6 photo date of Corvettes with the C-17 between 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon.

Tom Brooks said he brought back the banner that hung at the NCM. Since Tom is our ambassador to the Museum, members agreed that he should keep the banner. Tom also noticed that according to the date of the Club on the banner, 2022 is our 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary and wondered about a party. Freddie said that the Club became incorporated on October 11, 1964 so that gives us a couple years to plan a celebration.

George Frymyer conducted the 50/50 drawing which was won by Jerry McElroy. Jerry won \$58.00.

George motioned the meeting to adjourn. Seconded by Jay Robinson.

Freddie thanked everyone for attending tonight's meeting.

Respectfully submitted

Terri Kopa



# Coming Attractions

## Things to do, places to be

### Monthly Meeting

We meet the third Wednesday of each month at 7pm, at TJ Chumps, 1100 E. Dayton-Yellow Springs Rd., Fairborn, OH. Come early for dinner. All visitors are welcome.

#### January 2022

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| 1  | Happy New Year! |   |
| 12 | Dinner Out      | Rancheros Concina Mexicana Restaurant<br>Cross Point Center, Centerville<br>Hosted by Joe & Pat Checkawitz. |
| 19 | TJ Chumps       | Monthly Meeting – 7pm   |

#### February 2022

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| 16 | TJ Chumps | Monthly Meeting – 7pm |
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#### March 2022

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| 16 | TJ Chumps  | Monthly Meeting – 7pm  |
| 23 | Dinner Out | Troll Pub – 6pm<br>216 Wayne Ave, Dayton, OH 45402<br>Hosted by Peggy & Rob DeLorenzo. |

#### April 2022

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| 7     | Dinner Out     | Company 7, 1001 S Main St – 6pm<br>Englewood, OH 45322<br>Hosted by Doris & Tom Murph.  |
| 20    | TJ Chumps      | Monthly Meeting – 7pm   |
| 22-23 | Cruise-In      | Somernites Cruise, Somerset, KY   |
| 28-30 | Corvette Event | National Corvette Museum Bash<br>Bowling Green, KY. Caravan to the museum led by Tom & Star Brooks. Contact them for more info. |
| 28    | Day Trip       | Trip to Mansfield Reformatory<br>Hosted by Dan Gorby & Donna Tucker.<br>Reservations are closed.                                |

## May 2022

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| 7     | Cruise-In      | Bud's Corvette Cruise-In – 9am to 3pm<br>1415 Commerce Dr, Saint Marys, OH 45885<br><a href="https://www.budschevy.com/Corvette-Cruise-In">https://www.budschevy.com/Corvette-Cruise-In</a><br>Caravan led by Donna Tucker/Dan Gorby.<br>Please RSVP. See flyer for details. |
| 14    | Cruise-In      | Spring Fling All Corvette Show sponsored by<br>Chosen Few Vette Club and Coughlin Corvette,<br>8am to Noon, Awards at 3:00 p.m.,<br>Quaker Steak & Lube, Columbus, OH.<br>Registration fee is \$25.00.   |
| 18    | TJ Chumps      | Monthly Meeting – 7pm  |
| 19    | Corvette Event | Mecum Auction at Indianapolis State Fairgrounds.<br>Live auction led by Tom & Star Brooks.<br>Contact Tom for information and RSVP.  |
| 21    | Cruise-In      | Wilderness Trail Distillery Corvette Cruise-In<br>4095 Lebanon Rd, Danville, KY – 11am-3pm   |
| 24    | Dinner Out     | Mel-O-Dee Restaurant, 2350 S Dayton-Lakeview<br>Rd, New Carlisle, OH 45344 – 6pm<br>Reservations are now closed.<br>Hosted & RSVP to Dean & Carol Tavener.   |
| 27-28 | Cruise-In      | Somernites Cruise-in, Somerset, KY.  |

## June 2022

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| 4  | Car Show      | Brookville Car Show, Brookville, OH – 3pm<br>\$10 per car, food & drinks, 50/50 drawing<br>Reichard Chevrolet            |
| 4  | Car Show      | Mississinewa Valley Car Show, Marion, IN   |
| 12 | Cruise-In     | GDCC Corvette-Only Cruise-In, Fairborn, OH<br>11am to 3pm  |
| 15 | TJ Chumps     | Monthly Meeting – 7pm  |
| 17 | Ride & Dinner | Back roads trip to Uncle Beth's BBQ in Lewisburg.<br>See flyer for details.<br>Hosted by Dan Gorby and Donna Tucker.     |
| 19 | Car Show      | Whitewater Valley Corvette Club<br>Corvette-only car show, 2402 Park Rd,<br>Connersville, IN - 3-7pm - Entry fee \$10.00 |
| 24 | Dinner Out    | Ann & Tony's, 211 E Main St – 5pm<br>West Jefferson, OH 43162<br>Hosted by Bob & Freddie Haugh.                          |

## July 2022

4	Parade	Centerville Americana Parade participation. Email Freddie for signup: Freddie627@aol.com.
9-10	Drive & Festival	Berea College Craft Festival See Feb. meeting minutes for details. Reservations are now closed.
15	Dinner Out	Rip Rap Roadhouse, 6024 Rip Rap Rd – 4pm Dayton, OH 45424 (Rain date is July 22) Hosted by Herbie & Judy Smith.
20	TJ Chumps	Monthly Meeting – 7pm
22	Cruise-In	Voss Cruise-In, 5-9 pm. Voss Used Cars, 99 Loop Rd., Centerville. \$5 per vehicle at gate.

## August 2022

TBD	Dinner Out	Treasure Island Supper Club 4250 Chief Woods Ln Moraine, OH 45439 Hosted by Jay Robinson.
5	Picnic	Greater Dayton Corvette Club Picnic Hills & Dales Metro Park, PawPaw shelter 2471 Deep Hollow Rd, Kettering, OH – 4pm Hosted by Dan Gorby & Donna Tucker
6	GDCC Picture	WPAFB, Sign up and information, contact Greg Fagan, greg.fagan@sbcglobal.net.
13	Car Show	Ft. Thomas Car Show, Newport, KY
17	TJ Chumps	Monthly Meeting – 7pm

## September 2022

TBD	Dinner Out	TBD Hosted by Tom & Starlene Brooks.
5	Parade	Kettering Holiday at Home Parade.
9 – 10	Car Show	East Tennessee Vette Fest, Glenstone Lodge, Gatlinburg TN. Freddie has information to book a room if you would like to attend.
11	Car Show	Ohio Corvette Gathering, Lancaster, OH.
16-17	Car Show	Mid America Motorworks Corvette Funfest 2022 Effingham, IL. Registration is now open.
21	TJ Chumps	Monthly Meeting – 7pm

## October 2022

2	Car Show	Glass City Corvette Club Car Show. Toledo, OH
19	TJ Chumps	Monthly Meeting – 7pm



## **November 2022**

16 TJ Chumps Monthly Meeting – 7pm

## **December 2022**

9 Dinner Out LaComedia Dinner Theatre (White Christmas)  
765 W. Central Ave.  
Springboro, OH 45066 – 5:30pm  
Hosted by Dan Gorby & Donna Tucker.

21 TJ Chumps Monthly Meeting – 7pm



# Coming Attractions

## Something to Celebrate

### Birthdays

#### May

- 1 Mary Berenics
- 3 Bob Roosen
- 4 Christopher Burke
- 9 Tom Garneau
- 11 Dani Robison
- 17 Tobin Traxler
- 23 Tom Murph
- 24 Sandy Hanson
- 26 James Pearce
- 26 Steve Deppen
- 27 Janice Traxler
- 30 Tim Foley

#### June

- 1 Jim Hurr
- 4 Pat Frymyer
- 8 Carol Tavener
- 9 Star Brooks
- 14 Butch Hanson
- 16 Rick Smith
- 19 Larry Dawes
- 19 Robert Ingoldsby
- 23 Rob DeLorenzo

### Anniversaries

#### May

- 5 Jerry & Mary Beth Burke
- 21 Mike & Carleen Sullivan
- 25 Christopher Burke & Karrie Phillips
- 26 Roger & Nancy Winterbotham
- 31 Butch & Sandy Hanson

#### June

- 2 Bob & Carol Sledge
- 2 Fred & Melissa Farnsley
- 7 Terry & Colette Weldon
- 14 Rick & Connie Queener
- 14 Andy & Barb Schneider
- 20 Mike & Heidi Beedy
- 23 Dave & Sue Saettel
- 27 Bob & Freddie Haugh
- 28 Carl & Barb Durbin



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