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# Greater Dayton Corvette Club

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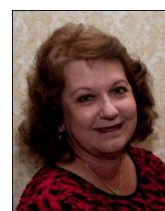
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**GREATER DAYTON CORVETTE CLUB (GDCC)**  
**Minutes – July 19, 2011**

President Freddie Haugh called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. Freddie explained I would be taking minutes this evening, as Terri is on an Alaska trip. Tonight was Freddie's birthday, so members sang "Happy Birthday" to her, and she received many birthday cards.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/GUESTS**

- John and Betty Stiens were visitors this evening; they have a red 98 C5 convertible. John explained they met up with GDCC members attending the recent Ohio Corvette Alliance Cruise-in, located in Lancaster Ohio.
- Freddie thanked Michelle and Jay for carrying the club's banner at the recent 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade in Centerville.
- Boris Tirpack thanked the club for donating to his racing efforts, and stated his plans to race on August 21<sup>st</sup> in either Wisconsin or Nelson Ledges, and he will have 2 more races at Mid Ohio from October 7<sup>th</sup> to October 9<sup>th</sup>.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

- Pat Frymyer moved the minutes from the June meeting be accepted as written. Seconded by Sara Myers.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

- Herb Smith provided the report. Herb said he had received acknowledgements from Vitas Hospice, and the Alzheimer's Association for recent club donations in memory of Freddie's and Mark's fathers. In addition, the Ruggiero's sent a thank you note, for the gift card recently sent to them due to Bev's extensive foot surgery.

**VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

- No report.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**SOCIAL**

- Marsha Woolery thanked Ron and Michelle Bauer for hosting the June dinner out at Chappy's Grille, and also thanked Don and Sharon Pennell for hosting the July 9<sup>th</sup> cookout at their home.
  - Marsha recapped the following events:

- July 23: Carol and Dean Tavener arranged dinner at Captain's Point and a cruise around Indian Lake. Rain date will be August 6. Those attending this Saturday are to meet at 4:15 PM at the intersection of 235 and 36, near St. Paris. Please contact Marsha by cell phone if you're unable to attend as signed up, so no one is left behind.
- July 30: A cruise in is planned in Tipp City, with a \$5 registration fee
- August 13: Dinner at Valley Vineyards in Morrow. Larry and Terri Kopa are coordinating this event; dinner planned for 6:00 p.m. For those attending, plan to be at Valley Vineyards at 5:45 p.m. to select your wine. There is paved parking.
- August 27: GDCC banquet at the Dayton Mall Holiday Inn, which may become a Wyndham property by the time of the banquet. Cost to GDCC members will be \$25 per person or \$50 per couple. Make checks out to GDCC by August's meeting date. Herb Smith is collecting the money. Raffle donations are requested, and please provide any photo CD's of year 2011 activities to Michelle Bauer. Rooms are available for those opting to stay overnight, and evening's attire is sport coat and cocktail dress. Doors will be open at 6PM for dinner, though members are able to come as early as 1 PM to socialize at the hotel's pool prior to dinner.
- September 5: Kettering Holiday at Home Parade.
- September 16-18: Mid-America Funfest in Effingham IL. To reserve a room at the Comfort Inn in Casey IL, call 217-932-2212. Marsha stated rooms will be released on August 1<sup>st</sup>, so need to call by then if planning to stay. Also, suggested contacting "Shelly" directly at the hotel during daytime hours, as there has been some confusion related to room reservations.
- October 9: GDCC is hosting a cruise in at City Barbecue in Beavercreek. More information to follow.
- October 16: Restoration Station Color Tour, Springboro. More information to follow.
- November: Progressive Dinner is planned, date yet TBD.
- December 10: Christmas Party is planned at Jerry and Jill Schlatter's home.

## MEMBERSHIP

- Judy Smith reported that we still have 96 members.
- A sympathy card was sent to Mark Shank in remembrance of his father's passing away.
- A get well card was mailed to Bruce Rickenbach.
- Judy requested that any emails to the entire club be sent through Mike from tomorrow through Monday, as Nicole is off work those days.

## PUBLIC RELATIONS

- No report.

## NEWSLETTER

- No report.

## NCM AMBASSADOR

- No report.

## WEBMASTER

- As old business, Freddie reported that she and Mike Jones are working with Terry Buchanan on the new website, and a test version is available for viewing at [www.daytoncorvette.com](http://www.daytoncorvette.com).

## OLD BUSINESS

- Refer to the Webmaster report, for recent updates on the new club website.

## NEW BUSINESS

- Bob Sledge stated the Restoration Station is planning an upcoming event to provide a demonstration as to their business ; although event's date is yet to be determined, a sign up sheet was distributed to see how many would be interested in this trip.
- Bob also developed a new vehicle identification dash card, which can be used at various car shows, and identifies the club's name and logo. Cost of this will be \$10; an email will be forthcoming with details as to how to order.

50/50 Drawing won by Tom Murph for \$32, though Tom donated his winnings back to the club.

Meeting Adjourned. After adjourned, members attending enjoyed a birthday cake provided by Bob, to celebrate Freddie's birthday.

Respectively submitted,  
Kitty Moorhead



# Coming Attractions

## Things to do, places to be

### January

- 19 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 23-30 *Atlantic Ocean* Anniversary Cruise

### February

- 6 *Haugh's* Super Bowl Party
- 12 *Old Hickory* Valentine Dinner
- 16 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 20 *Shank's* Daytona 500 Party

### March

- 16 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 19 *Harrison's* Dinner Out – Tipp City

### April

- 2 *Masonic Lodge* Sock Hop
- 3 *Bud's* Corvette Swap & Sell
- 19 *O'Charley's* Dinner Out – Miller Ln
- 20 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting

### May

- 7 *St. Mary's* Bud's Cruise In
- 18 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 21 *Bellfontaine* All Corvette Show

### June

- 3-5 *Holmes County* Amish Country Trip
- 15 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 18 *Chappys* Dinner Out - Moraine
- 24 *National* Drive your Corvette to Work Day

### July

- 4 *Centerville* Americana Parade
- Fairborn* Parade
- 9 *Pennell's* Cook Out – 5PM
- 20 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 23 *Captain's Point* Dinner Out  
Cruise afterward

### August

- 13 *Valley Vineyards* Dinner Out
- 17 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 27 *Holiday Inn* GDCC Banquet
- 28 Banquet Recovery
- 26-28 *Carlisle, PA* Corvettes at Carlisle

### September

- 5 *Kettering* Holiday at Home
- 11 *Sweeney's* Dinner Out
- (?) *McDorman's* Car Show/Cruise-In
- 16-18 *Effingham, IL* FunFest
- 21 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 18 *Brookville* Car Show
- 23-25 *Springfield, IL* Route 66 Fest

### October

- 7-9 *Gatlinburg* VetteFest
- 9 *City BBQ* Cruise-In
- 16 *Color Tour* Restoration Station
- 19 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 30 *Red Brick Tavern* Dinner Out

### November

- 16 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 20 *Various-North* Progressive Dinner

### December

- 10 *Schlatter's* Christmas Party
- 21 *Giovanni's* Monthly Meeting
- 31 *Tipp Legion* New Year's Eve

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# Coming Attractions

## Something to Celebrate *Birthdays*

### August

- 1 Barb Etherington
- 6 Connie Queener
- 20 Ron Bauer
- 25 John Vanscoy
- 30 George Speidel

### September

- 1 Chuck Beck
- 4 Bob Sledge
- 5 Scott Etherington
- 10 Herb Smith
- 11 Gary Stiens
- 12 Barb Gaynor
- 15 Marsha Woolery
- 19 Rusty Myers
- 22 Dee Harrison  
Jerry Schlatter
- 26 Jim Gilmore
- 30 Carol Sledge

## *Anniversaries*

### August

- 15 Gary & Kathy Stiens
- 16 Fred & Sharon Kingrey

### September

None

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### Monthly Meeting

We meet the third Wednesday of each month at 7PM, at Giovanni's, 215 W. Main St., Fairborn. All visitors are welcome.