

June 2023



# The Orange Pits

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## OC VETTES PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Father's Day to all of our OCV Dads! It is so nice to finally see the sun after May Gray and June Gloom. It is obviously time to get those Vettes on the road! We have a great outing on June 24 at Segerstrom Auto Museum. Lunch plans fell through due to a miscommunication from the restaurant. Details are below. We have another drive and eat event on July 15 hosted by Bernie and Stephanie. Information is also below. August is the trip to Bakersfield and Buck Owens Crystal Palace, and September is a trip to the Lyons Dragstrip Museum. Please also check the club calendar later in the newsletter for all events. Unfortunately, OCV has lost another long-time member, Dave Walsh, who put up a brave fight against Parkinson's disease. Please keep Janet in your thoughts. Elections for our 2023-24 officers will be held at our July meeting. Nominations will also be taken at the meeting. More information about the positions are below. If you would like to be nominated for any position or volunteer for one of the Committee Chairman positions, please contact any Board member as soon as possible.

**VERY IMPORTANT:** Since our general meeting night falls on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, our July monthly meeting will take place the next day, WEDNESDAY, JULY 5. Same place, same time.

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## JUNE SOCIAL

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**PANDA INN**  
CHINESE CUISINE  
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***2 Centerpointe Drive, La Palma***  
***Exit 91 Frwy at Valley View***



The June Social is being held on Tuesday, June 20 at the Panda Inn Chinese Restaurant. In 1973 Panda Inn opened its doors with a vision to create timeless Mandarin and Szechwan dishes mixed with an innovative style. Their variety of delicious entrees celebrates the remarkable history and authentic taste of China's regional flavors. The Panda Inn offers traditional entrees of seafood, beef, pork and poultry as well as noodles, rice, soups and salads. We will meet at the La Palma location on Centerpointe Drive. Our hosts are Bob and Masako Burggraf. Come join us for a **DELICIOUS** Chinese dinner and fun with OCV friends!

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## OUTING TO SEGERSTROM AUTO MUSEUM JUNE 24, 10:00 AM

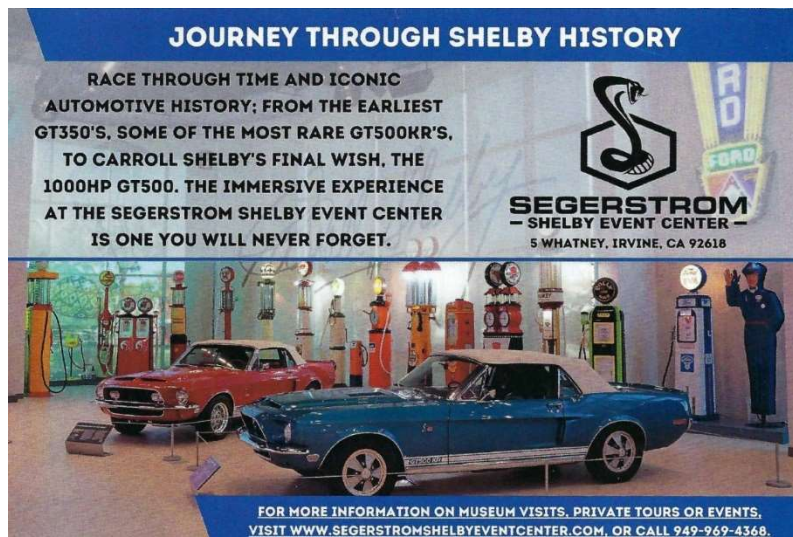
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The Segerstrom Shelby Event Center is built around the love of the automobile and all the wonders that have come and gone along the road. Come in for an awesome walk among these classic beauties. The stories they tell are the stuff of legend. The Segerstrom Shelby Event Center collections are some of the finest in the world. With street and racing Cobras, high-performance Mustangs and rows of nostalgic *petroliana*, there is something for everyone to oogle over. Our commitment to excellence in preservation and education shows in every detail.

Steve and Marian Bronston are hosting an OCV trip to visit Segerstrom Shelby Event Center on June 24 at 10:00 a.m. Admission is \$15 for seniors and \$20 for non-seniors. Steve needs to be paid in advance because they will only accept one transaction for admission. Please mail your check to Steve or give it to him when you see him at a social or our general meeting. Questions to Steve: 714-572-6072 (work) or 714-458-1675 (cell).

**LUNCH AS A GROUP HAS BEEN CANCELED.** Not our fault, we were given incorrect information from a restaurant rep. You can plan to go to Lucille's on your own for lunch, but they will not take us as a group. You can also go to another location for lunch if you like. Apologies to all.



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**DRIVE ON THE EDGE  
JULY 15  
10:00 AM**

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Chevrolet said it best: "See the USA in your Chevrolet, and what better Chevrolet to drive than a CORVETTE!"

On July 15th Stephanie and I will be hosting a drive on the Angeles Crest Highway Starting at the 210 Freeway and Rte 2, Angeles Crest Highway. At around 10:00 AM we will be driving East to Wrightwood where we will have lunch at a local Restaurant. After Lunch we head for home. Details to follow since right now the Angeles Crest Highway is closed, but should be open by July.

Please sign up ASAP and stay tuned for more details.

Bernie & Stephanie  
714-981-5875

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**UPCOMING EVENT  
LIONS DRAG STRIP MUSEUM  
SEPTEMBER 16**

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**LIONS DRAG STRIP**

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The Lions Automobilia Foundation and Museum was founded in December 2019 by Southern California businessman and car enthusiast, Rick Lorenzen. It's nearly 100,000 sq. ft. facility includes galleries featuring Southern California's infamous car culture and motorsports history. The experience begins as visitors walk in thru a 1960's speed shop with genuine parts hanging off the walls and then enter the Main Street Gallery lined with classics automobiles parked in front of a 1950's diner. The visitor experience has been described as mind-blowing, as each gallery reveals the human experience with the automobile. Lions is more than just a museum. The Lions Automobilia Foundation takes preserving automotive history to the next level with its onsite restoration facility. As visitors walk through the galleries, they will find that many of the vehicles on display were restored by the Lions Team.

Steven Bronston is hosting this event, and [more information will be forthcoming.](#)

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## MAY SOCIAL ROSE CANYON CANTINA

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We had 30 members attend the May social at Rose Canyon Cantina, one of our favorite locations. Great food, great view, great weather and great friends. Here are a few pics that were taken.



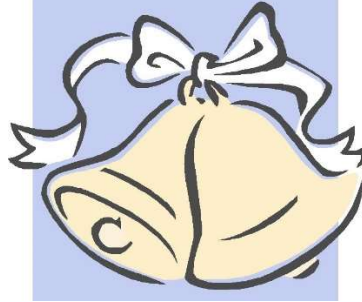
Sorry, Larry



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## WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING!

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At our June general meeting, Bernie and Stephanie announced that they are now engaged to be married! They even brought a cake to share their news! Also, I received an email from Tim Elder letting us know that he and Patty are getting married in August. Congrats to both couples and wishes for a long and happy life together!





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## ANAHEIM HILLS 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY PARADE

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Tony Siragusa has been contacted again for OC Vettes to participate as a group in the Anaheim Hills 4th of July parade. The parade is about a mile long traversing Santa Ana Canyon Road from Imperial Highway to Eucalyptus Park. Participants should stage at the Canyon High School parking lot no later than noon. We always decorate our vehicles in the 4th of July theme. If you would like to participate, please let Tony Siragusa know so he can let the organizers know how many vehicles to expect.

Leo and Donna Mann have again offered to host a potluck BBQ at their home after the parade. The Manns will be providing hamburgers and hotdogs and Impossible burgers for the group. If you would like to attend the BBQ, please let Donna Mann know and what dish you would like to bring.



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## CAR PHOTOS FOR THE WEBSITE

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As Summer Rolls in it is time to detail the Corvette and get it ready for taking those beautiful So. California drives we all enjoy so much. It is also time to have your Corvette photographed for the website if you have not done so in the past. For those of you who are new to the club, we would like to put your Corvette on our website. You can submit your favorite picture of your Corvette or you can contact me and I will photograph your Corvette for you. If I photograph your Corvette, you will be given a photo CD with the best images that have been retouched and are ready for printing.

Call me at 714-981-5875 and we can discuss this further and set up a time to meet.  
Bernie DeMarkey

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## BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

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	<b>BIRTHDAYS</b>		<b>ANNIVERSARIES</b>		<b>CLUB MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARY</b>	
June		June		June		Years
5	Dorothy Treece	13	Gary & Judy Oederkerk		Alice Willard	46
13	Judy Oederkerk				Ellie Jeppesen	41
15	Barb Hall				Jim & Judy Lundel	32
20	Dave Hamel				Janis Parkinson	24
23	Dave Ruffel					
24	Janis Parkinson					
29	Ivan Nichols					
29	Steve Bronston					
July		July		July		Years
2	Michael Dix	10	Brian & Margaret Hoiem		Jaye Brown	30
12	John Treece	14	Dave & Chris Hamel		Gary & Judy Oederkerk	28
15	Daryl Martin	20	Bob & Cecil Blattenberg		Tony & Vicky Siragusa	18
17	Ron Pavek				Janet Cherry	13
17	Nancy Ward					
20	Tony Siragusa					
23	Kevin Donnelly					
27	Janet Walsh					
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## O C Vettes Club Apparel

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OCV clothing and hats can be ordered from Land's End. To start, view products online at: [https://business.landsend.com/store/oc\\_vettes/](https://business.landsend.com/store/oc_vettes/). Decide on the merchandise you want to purchase. The official OCV color is royal blue, and the typical club shirt is a button front polo shirt. As you place your order, you will be able to add the club logo to your purchase. Select the logo color that works best with your shirt. If you need assistance in ordering just call 1-800- 587-1541 between Monday and Friday from 7AM to 7 PM CT. Their friendly staff is waiting to help you with your order.

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## NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

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Nominations for next year's officers were held at our June general meeting. Nominations will also take place at the July general meeting. The following officer nominations were given and accepted by the nominees: (Committee Chairman positions and their job duty positions are listed below the officer information.)

**President-Leo Mann**  
**Vice-President-Bernie DeMarkey**  
**Secretary-Carol Thompson**  
**Treasurer-Ray Cranson**  
**Director-Steve Bronston**

Officer duty descriptions per our By-Laws are as follows:

Section 5.08. Duties of President. The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Association and shall in general, subject to the control of the Board of Directors, supervise and control the affairs of the Association. He shall perform all duties incident to his office and such other duties as may be required by law, by the Constitution of this Association, or by these Bylaws, or which may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors or by the members.

Section 5.09. Duties of Vice-President. In the absence of the President, or in the event of his inability or refusal to act, the Vice-President shall perform the duties of President, and when so acting shall have all the powers of, and be subject to all the restrictions on, the President. He shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by law, by the Constitution of this Association, or by these Bylaws, or which may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors or by the members.

Section 5.10. Duties of Secretary. The Secretary shall:

(a) Certify and keep at the principal office of the Association the original or a copy of its Bylaws as amended or otherwise altered to date, and keep at said office the original or a copy of the Articles as amended to date.

(b) Keep at the principal office of the Association a book of minutes of all meetings of the Directors and members, recording therein the time and place of holding, whether regular or special, and, if special, how authorized, notice thereof given, the names of those present at Directors' meetings, the number of members present at members' meetings, and the proceedings thereof in whichever form or media has been approved by the Board of Directors.

(c) See that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws or as may be required by law.

(d) Be custodian of the records of the Association.

(e) Keep at the principal office of the Association a membership book, in any approved form or medium, containing the name and address of each member, and, in any case where membership has been terminated, record such fact in the book, together with the manner of termination and the date on which the membership ceased.

(f) Exhibit at all reasonable times to any Director or elected officer of the Association, or to his agent or attorney, on request therefor, the Constitution (Articles), the Bylaws, the membership book, and the minutes of the proceedings of Directors' and members' meetings.

(g) Exhibit at all reasonable times to any member, or to his agent or attorney, on written demand therefor for a purpose reasonably related to the interests of such member, the Constitution, the Bylaws, and the minutes of Directors' or members' meetings, and he shall exhibit said records at any time when required by the demand of ten (10) percent or more of the members.

(h) In general, perform all duties incident to the office of Secretary and such other duties as may be required by law, by the Constitution of this Association, or by these Bylaws, or which may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors or by the members.

Section 5.11. Duties of Treasurer. Subject to the provisions of Article VII of these Bylaws, the Treasurer shall:

(a) Have charge and custody of, and be responsible for, all funds and securities of the Association, and deposit all such funds in the name of the Association in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as shall be selected by the Board of Directors.

(b) Receive, and give receipt for, moneys due and payable to the Association from any source whatever.

(c) Disburse or cause to be disbursed the funds of the Association as may be directed by the Board of Directors, taking proper vouchers for such disbursements.

(d) Keep and maintain adequate and correct accounts of the Association's properties and business transactions, including accounts of its assets, liabilities, receipts, disbursements, gains, and losses.

(e) Exhibit at all reasonable times the books of account and financial records to any Director or elected officer of the Association, or to his agent or attorney, on request therefor.

(f) Exhibit at all reasonable times to any member, his agent, or attorney, on written demand therefor for a purpose reasonably related to the interests of such member, the books of account and financial records of the Association, and shall exhibit said records at any time when required by the demand of ten (10) percent or more of the members.

(g) Render to the President and Directors whenever he or they request it an account of any or all of his transactions as Treasurer and of the financial condition of the Association.

- (h) Prepare, or cause to be prepared, and certify the financial statements to be included in the annual report to members.
- (i) If required by the Board of Directors or by the members, give a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as the Board of Directors shall determine.
- (j) In general, perform all duties incident to the office of Treasurer and such other duties as may be required by law, by the Constitution of this Association, or by these Bylaws, or which may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors.

Office of Director:

The Director shall serve as a member at large with all voting privileges. In general, the Director shall perform all duties incident to the office of Director and such other duties as required by the Board of Directors.

**COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN POSITIONS AND DUTIES PER THE OC VETTES  
HANDBOOK (Appointed Positions)**

Benevolence:

Send members cards for surgery, get well, bereavement, congratulations, etc.  
Send flower arrangements or charity donation for bereavement or other special occasions with Board approval.

National Corvette Museum Ambassador:

You must be an active member of the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, KY. You would be the liaison between OC Vettes and the National Corvette Museum.

Historian:

Keep photo albums, newspaper articles, and other publicity for the club.

Homecomings:

Communicate with schools regarding homecoming fund-raiser program. Coordinate club participants in football homecoming fund-raiser.

Membership:

Ambassador to visitors and new members.  
Provide New Member Packet to all new members  
The packet includes:  
General club information  
Membership application  
Insurance forms  
Charity information  
Dues information

NCCC Governor:

Attend 3 meetings per year of regional governors and report back if there is any info the club members need to know.  
Every 4 or 5 years host the regional meeting. Set up the location- separate room, separate checks, etcetera, as you would do for a social. The meeting is run by the regional president.  
Update the NCCC membership database with new members or any member changes.  
Annual update of all current members when dues are paid.

Keep OCV roster and NCCC membership database in sync.  
Send out updated OCV roster annually and when new members are added.

**Newsletter:**

Publish and distribute monthly newsletter to all members and visitors highlighting past events and provide a calendar with upcoming events.

**Apparel:**

This is set up with Land's End. They have our logo on file and members order directly from Land's End.

Answer any member questions on how to contact Land's End to order (info is also in the monthly newsletter).

Let club members know if there is sale on logo products.

Work with Land's End if there are any issues or changes.

**50/50 Raffle:**

Sell Raffle tickets and disburse prizes at each membership meeting.

**Website:**

Send monthly newsletters and any other website changes to our webmaster to update the website.

Check the website at least monthly to make sure updates are done and that there are no issues.

Be the liaison with BlueHost for any website issues.

Keep a credit card on file with Blue Host so that annual website charges can be paid (you will be reimbursed by the club treasurer).

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

*OCV Events in Blue and Italic.* For more info contact Conda Takanabe at (714) 595-1070

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DATE	EVENT	HOST
<i>June 6</i>	<i>OCV Business Meeting, Santa Ana Elks Lodge, 1751 S. Lyon Street, Santa Ana. Dinner cost is \$24 per person.</i>	<i>Conda Takanabe</i>
<i>June 13</i>	<i>Ladies Bunco/Mens Poker</i>	<i>Ellie Cranston/Bob Burggraf</i>
<i>June 20</i>	<i>OCV June Social at Panda Inn</i>	<i>Bob and Masako Burggraf</i>
<i>June 24</i>	<i>Outing to Segerstrom Shelby Museum</i>	<i>Steve &amp; Marian Bronston</i>
<i>June 27</i>	<i>OCV Board Meeting, Keno's Restaurant, 5750 E. La Palma Avenue, Anaheim, 6:30 p.m.</i>	<i>Conda Takanabe</i>
<i>July 4</i>	<i>Anaheim Hills 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade</i>	<i>Tony Siragusa</i>
<b>July 5</b>	<b>OCV Business Meeting, Santa Ana Elks Lodge, 1751 S. Lyon Street, Santa Ana. Dinner cost is \$24 per person. (WEDNESDAY)</b>	<i>Conda Takanabe</i>
<i>July 11</i>	<i>Ladies Bunco/Mens Poker</i>	<i>Nancy Ward/Bob Burggraf</i>
<i>July 17</i>	<i>Drive on the Edge</i>	<i>Bernie and Stephanie</i>
<b>July 19</b>	<b>OCV July Social-Moreno's Mexican Restaurant (WEDNESDAY)</b>	<i>Leo and Donna Mann</i>
<i>July 25</i>	<i>OCV Board Meeting-Keno's Restaurant</i>	<i>Conda Takanabe</i>
<i>August 1</i>	<i>OCV Business Meeting, Santa Ana Elks Lodge, 1751 S. Lyon Street, Santa Ana. Dinner cost is \$24 per person.</i>	<i>Elected President</i>
<i>August 26-27</i>	<i>Trip to Bakersfield</i>	<i>Ron Molendyk/Betsy Slauson</i>
<i>Sept ??</i>	<i>Trip to Lyons Dragstrip Museum</i>	<i>Steve Bronston</i>
<i>Sept 30</i>	<i>Santa Clarita Valley CC Car Show</i>	
<i>Oct 21</i>	<i>Las Vegas Corvette Association Car Show</i>	

<i>Oct 25-28</i>	<i>Cambria Trip</i>	<i>Manns, Cranstons, Wards</i>
<i>Dec 3</i>	<i>OCV Christmas Party, Alta Vista Country Club</i>	<i>Ray and Ellie Cranston</i>

## **Cambria Getaway**

### **October 25-28, 2023**



Hi Club Members!

The Manns, Cranstons, and Wards have planned an OC VETTES trip to Cambria Pines Lodge in beautiful Cambria, California. We will leave the morning of Wednesday, October 25th to drive to where the "pines meet the sea". We will enjoy three nights at the Lodge, returning home on Saturday, October 28th. On our way up the coast, we plan to stop in Buellton for lunch at the Hitching Post. (We will also be making "comfort stops" along the way.)

October is the month Cambria puts on their "Scarecrow Festival" and contest. The local businesses, etc. compete to create the most creative "Scarecrows" and display them all over the quaint little town. We have planned a "cruise" thru town as well as along Moonstone Beach and up Highway 46 to enjoy the views. We might stop at a winery or two we find along our way.

The Cambria Pines Lodge is a destination to be enjoyed as well. Nestled atop a hill, there are wonderous gardens, a spa, pool, lounge, and a restaurant/dining room. Each room has its own fireplace. A hot buffet breakfast, (included), is served every morning in the dining room.

Fifteen (15) rooms are blocked for our Club members (more will be available if needed). There are several types of rooms available at our discounted rate. Rates range from \$169.15 to \$237.15 plus 12% tax. Since this is a popular time at the Lodge, reservations should be made by September 10th. Make your reservation by calling Cambria Pines Lodge, (805) 927-4200. PLEASE USE THE OC VETTES CODE #9626556.

Any questions please call Donna Mann (714) 323-3555, or Nancy Ward (714) 300-3794. Please let one of us know when you've made your reservations.

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**OC VETTES**  
**Minutes of General Meeting**  
**June 6, 2023**  
**Santa Ana Elks Lodge**

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- I. Meeting called to order at 6:33 by President Conda Takanabe. Vice President Leo Mann, Secretary Carol Thompson, Treasurer Ray Cranston and Director Bernie DeMarkey were also present. There were 44 members in attendance, with one visitor who signed up to become a member: John Azze. He and his wife, Angelic Hines, drive a 2023 caffeine C8.
- II. Flag Salute: President
- III. General Meeting Minutes for May 2, 2023, approved by Jerry Wheeler and seconded by Bernie DeMarkey. Minutes approved.
- IV. Reports - None
  - A. Board of Directors
    - i. President: Conda Takanabe
    - ii. Vice President: Leo Mann
    - iii. Secretary: Carol Thompson
    - iv. Treasurer: Ray Cranston
    - v. Director: Bernie DeMarkey
  - B. Appointed Positions
    - i. Newsletter: Conda Takanabe. No report.
    - ii. NCCC Governor: Mickey Lookman. no new info from the latest NCCC meeting.
    - iii. Corvette Museum Ambassador: Jerry Wheeler reported that GM will only cover insurance for new C8's for 6 months due to so many buyers reselling their cars for more money shortly after purchasing.
    - iv. Member News: Jane wheeler. Three memorial services were recently held for members Tram Hartzog, Ted Feduska and David Walsh. All three were well attended by club members. Also, Bernie DeMarkey has become engaged to Stephanie Junkin.
    - v. Apparel Coordinator: Sue Lookman. No report.
    - vi. 50/50 Coordinator: Masako Burggraf. No report.
- V. Old Business
  - A. Bernie is working to get all car photos uploaded to the website.
  - B. The brick for the Route 66 Museum has been ordered with the logo and payment has been made.
  - C. The Social calendar has been filled for the rest of this fiscal year. The sign-up sheet is available for next year.
  - D. Election nominations. Elections will be held in July.
    - i. President – Leo Mann
    - ii. Vice President - Bernie DeMarkey
    - iii. Treasurer – Ray Cranston
    - iv. Secretary – Carol Thompson
    - v. Director – Steve Bronston

- E. Committee Appointed Positions – If anyone is interested in the following positions, they should notify the current Board members.
  - i. Membership
  - ii. NCCC Governor
  - iii. National Corvette Museum
  - iv. Apparel
  - v. Website
  - vi. Newsletter
  - vii. Member News
  - viii. 50/50
- VI. New Business
  - A. July Meeting Date
    - i. Due to July 4<sup>th</sup> falling on a Tuesday, the July Business Meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY, July 5 at the regular time and location.
  - B. Anaheim 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade.
    - i. The city is looking for Corvettes to be in parade on the morning of July 4. No dignitaries will be in the cars, only members. Cars will be decorated on site before the parade begins. The Manns will hold a barbecue in the afternoon for everyone who participates in the parade. They will provide hot dogs and hamburgers, Sides and desserts will be potluck. Please notify Tony Siragusa or Leo Mann if interested in participating.
- VII. Past Events
  - A. Route 66
    - i. The trip was lots of fun. Everyone enjoyed the stay in Las Vegas and the murder mystery show. The road conditions were very bad. Janet Cherry had a flat and had to stay over to get it fixed. Several drivers had the need for speed. Tronya and Karen were pulled over but luckily did not get ticketed.
    - ii. The trip next year will be May 1-5.
  - B. Elsinore Car Show
    - i. Great turnout for the first year of the show. Only 46 cars were pre-registered but 146 cars ended up participating.
  - C. May Social
    - i. The May Social was hosted by Henry and Sue Walker and held at Rose Canyon Cantina. 30 members attended. Members sat outside and the weather was perfect.
- VIII. Future Events
  - A. June 13 Bunco is hosted by Ellie Cranston. Poker is at Bob Burggraaf's Mancave.
  - B. The June Social will be held at 6PM on June 20 at Panda Inn, 2 Centerpointe Drive in La Palma.
  - C. Segerstrom Museum Trip
    - i. June 24. 37 members are signed up. Money is due to Steve Bronston up to the day of the event. Meet at the Museum at 10AM. Park to the right in the lot where there is plenty of room. Lunch afterwards will be at Lucille's Barbecue.
  - D. Drive on the Edge.
    - i. July 15. Bernie and Stephanie are hosting a drive from La Canada to Wrightwood along the Angeles Crest Highway.



- E. July Social
  - i. To be held at Morenos on Chapman in Orange. WEDNESDAY July 19.  
Hosted by Leo and Donna Mann.
- F. Lion's Raceway Museum. Date TBD.
- G. Buck Owens' Crystal Palace
  - i. The trip to Bakersfield and Buck Owens' Crystal Palace has been rescheduled to August 26-27. A sign-up sheet is available at Business Meetings for members to sign up.
- H. Cambria Trip
  - i. October 25-28 – Donna Mann said that 17 rooms were booked, but there are a few more available. If you decide to attend, please let Donna, Ellie Cranston or Nancy Ward know so you can be added to the list.
- I. Vettes for Veterans car show scheduled for early November has been cancelled.
- J. Christmas Party December 3.
- K. Corvette Caravan August-September 2024. The basic itinerary has been scheduled. There is a sign-up sheet for interested members. The National Corvette Museum will send out hotel info when its time to book rooms.
- IX. Member Forum – Henry Walker had some info on a '59 Corvette for sale. It's red on red with a 283 cubic inch engine and aftermarket fuel injection. Contact Henry for more information.
- X. Next Board Meeting is June 27 at 6:30 PM at Keno's in Anaheim Hills.
- XI. Next General Meeting is WEDNESDAY July 5 at 6:30 at the Santa Ana Elks Lodge.
- XII. Agenda items for the next meeting are due to Conda Takanabe by July 1.
- XIII. Opportunity Drawing by Masako Burggraf 50/50 drawing of \$80 was won by Mike Blume, Frank Reese, Conda Takanabe and Karen Goetsch also won prizes.
- XIV. Badge Fines \$1.00 to Ray Cranston.
- XV. Motion to Adjourn by at 7:20 by Bernie DeMarkey, seconded by Nancy Ward. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carol Thompson, Secretary



Corvettes from all over the country will form groups and travel together to the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, KY. OC Vettes will be starting with the group in the Southwest Caravan. We will be starting our travel in Pasadena, CA on **8/21/24** arriving in Bowling Green on **8/28/24**. Imagine a week long drive in your Corvette with hundreds then thousands of Corvettes topped with spectacular scenic view of the USA. Then spend 3 days in Corvette Heaven, the Corvette Museum, Factory and Race Track.

All of the hard work of planning the route and reserving hotels will be done for you by the Southwest Caravan Group. You can sign up for the **eNews** newsletter for up to date information. Just send an email: [SWeNews@netmotive.net](mailto:SWeNews@netmotive.net)

Within the next month, Jerry Wheeler and I will be hosting question and answer at my house for the members who have signed up. If you have not signed up yet please send me an email so I can include you in the wmail.

Also, my information is below if you have any questions.



**Janet Cherry**  
Caravan Lieutenant  
Orange County Feeder Caravan Leader  
Southwest Section  
2024 National Corvette Caravan

18679 Diddy Circle  
Fountain Valley, CA 92708  
562.544.1053  
[wuwublu@gmail.com](mailto:wuwublu@gmail.com)  
[www.corvettecaravan.com](http://www.corvettecaravan.com)



# 2024 Southwest Corvette Caravan Registration Form

Corvette Owner Name			Unisex T-shirt size
Owner Address			
Owner City		Owner State	Zip Code
Corvette Year	Model Coupe or Conv., Stingray, ZO6, Grand Sport, ZR1, etc.	Color	License No.
Owner Email Address			
Second Participant Name			Unisex T-shirt size
Second Participant Email Address			

**Shirt sizes are: S, M, L, XL and 2XL.**

**Key in your information to this form and then print it.**

**Make a check to "Southwest Corvette Caravan" for \$100.00**

**Mail the form and the check to:**

**Paula Megowan  
CFO Southwest Corvette Caravan  
7511 Wilson St  
Ventura CA 93003**



1973 - 2023  
50 Years



# Las Vegas Corvettes Association Presents All Corvette Show in Celebration of our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary October 21, 2023

Location: Town Square Las Vegas,  
Las Vegas Blvd, Las Vegas, NV 89119

Show Hours are 10am to 3pm, setup time starts at 7am  
(no corvettes can leave before 3pm)

Registration before September 21<sup>st</sup> is \$35.00 per Corvette  
Registration between September 22<sup>nd</sup> & October 5<sup>th</sup> will be \$55.00  
Cutoff is October 5<sup>th</sup> (Late entries cannot be accepted)

Entry Fee Includes: Admission to Show, 1 Poker Hand,  
Packet, & Goodie Bag  
Additional Poker Hands can be purchased for \$5.00 each  
Pre Ordered Your T-Shirts Today

All Proceeds will be donated to:  
**Tunnel to Towers Foundation**

## "Awards"

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> (for each generation)  
As well as:  
People's Choice  
Fox 5 Best in Show  
Sponsors Choice LVCA



Born from the tragedy of 9/11, the Tunnel to Towers Foundation carries out its mission to "do good," by providing mortgage-free homes to Gold Star and fallen first responder families with young children and by building specially-adapted smart homes for catastrophically injured veterans and first responders. Tunnel to Towers is also committed to eradicating veteran homelessness and helping America to  
**Never Forget September 11, 2001.**

Sponsored by:





1973 - 2023  
50 Years



# Las Vegas Corvettes Association Presents 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Car Show October 21, 2023

At Town Square Las Vegas, Las Vegas Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89119

**Please Print:**

Driver' Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Passenger: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corvette Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ License Plate #/State: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Corvette set up starting at 7am, Show hours 10am to 3pm (all corvettes must stay for the full show, no leaving before 3pm)

Register on or before October 5, 2023 Deadline (Late entries not accepted)

Entry Fee for Event Includes: Admission to Car Show & Poker Run (1 Poker Hand)

	Per Car	Totals
Registration on or before September 21, 2023	\$35.00	
Registration September 22, 2023 - October 5, 2023 (Deadline)	\$55.00	
Additional Poker Hands _____ @ \$5.00 each		
Pre Order T-Shirts \$25 each (2XL, 3XL, 4XL - \$30)		
Total Amount Enclosed		

Online Registration: <https://www.vegasvettes.com> Your event registration donation is non-refundable.

Make Checks payable to Las Vegas Corvettes Association:

Las Vegas Corvettes Association P.O. Box 80831 Las Vegas, NV 89180-0831

Pre Order T-Shirts \$25 each: \_\_\_S \_\_\_M \_\_\_L \_\_\_XL \_\_\_2XL \_\_\_3XL \_\_\_4XL Total QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(20% upcharge 2XL, 3XL, 4XL - \$30)

LIABILITY WAIVER: In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate. Entrants, participants and spectators release and discharge Las Vegas Corvettes Associations (LVCA) from any know or unknow causes whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant or participant to his/her person or property. Event management reserves the right to restrict entrants or their guests to behavior deemed acceptable during all activities of this event, including the right of eviction from the premises if necessary. Participants wishing to leave their properties on the premises understand that they do so at their own risk. No exhibition of speed will be allowed. The undersigned entrant acknowledges, by his/her signature as having read and understood the above liability statement and waives all claims as car owners, guests, children and public agree to permit LVCA to use magazines, newspaper, radio and television, before during and after the event and hereby relinquish any rights to the materials whatsoever. All advertising and publicity rights are reserved by the LVCA. Liability to include passengers.

EVENT RESTRICTIONS: No canopies are permitted on the grounds of Town Square, FAA airspace restrictions due to nearby airport are in effect. No drones are allowed to fly over people or cars. Your event registration donation is non-refundable.

Signature of Driver: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Passenger: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Signatures of both driver and passenger (if applicable) are required or registration will not be valid.)



**70**  
1953-2023



*Santa Clarita Valley Corvette Club*

**ALL CORVETTE**  
**70TH ANNIVERSARY**



**CAR SHOW**



**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**

**(3:00pm – 9:00pm) Rain or Shine**

**Route 66 Classic Grill**

**18730 Soledad Cyn Road, Canyon Country**

**Benefitting:**



Santa Clarita  
Veteran Services Collaborative

**more info at: [scvcc.org/car-show/](http://scvcc.org/car-show/)**



# SANTA CLARITA VALLEY CORVETTE CLUB

## "Corvettes for a Cause"

Benefitting



Santa Clarita  
Veteran Services Collaborative

**Saturday, September 30, 2023 (3:00pm – 9:00pm) Rain or Shine**

Check in starts at 3:00 to 4:00

Judging ends 6:00 – Raffles begin 6:00

Trophy presentation at 8:00 - Show ends at 9:00



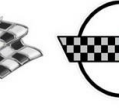
**Route 66 Classic Grill  
18730 Soledad Canyon Road  
Canyon Country, CA 91351**

Trophies for 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> place by generation plus Best in Show.

Each participant will vote for their favorite cars

Goody Bags for participants

**No canopies allowed**



**REGISTRATION: \$40.00 by 9/16/23 or \$45.00 after 9/16/23 or day of show.**

**Pre-order 50/50 raffle tickets, 10 for \$5.00 (\$1.00 each at show)**

Please complete this form, detach and mail along with a check made payable to "SCVCC" to:

**Santa Clarita Valley Corvette Club  
PO Box 800943  
Santa Clarita, CA 91380-0943**

**Please print clearly**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Ck# \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ License Plate: \_\_\_\_\_

C1 (53-62) \_\_\_ C2 (63-67) \_\_\_ C3 (68-82) \_\_\_ C4 (84-96) \_\_\_ C5 (97-04) \_\_\_ C6 (05-13) \_\_\_ C7 (14-19) \_\_\_ C8 (20-23) \_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

I AGREE to insure my vehicle and property against loss, damage and liability and I AGREE to assume the risk of any and all damages or injury and to indemnify and hold harmless SCVCC, its officers and members, for any acts or omissions that may result in the theft, damage or destruction of my property or injury to me or others occurring during, or as a consequence of this event. **INITIALS:** \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-order 50/50 raffle tickets, 10 for \$5.00 (\$1.00 each at show) # of tickets \_\_\_\_\_





The Orange Pits is the monthly Newsletter for the OC Vettes Club of Orange County, CA. This newsletter is intended to inform our membership about club news and events. Articles to be submitted for publication in the newsletter should be submitted on the night of the monthly General Business Meeting or sent via email to Newsletter Editor CondaTakanabe at: [btakanabe@msn.com](mailto:btakanabe@msn.com). All written correspondence to the club should be mailed to:

OC Vettes  
P.O. Box 27183  
Anaheim, CA 92809

O C Vettes (OCV) is a Corvette club based in Orange County, California. OCV is a non- profit organization affiliated with the National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC). OCV is an active supporter of Children’s Hospital of Orange County (CHOC).

O C Vettes is a club of individuals who appreciate driving Chevrolet Corvettes and enjoy socializing with fellow Corvette owners. Currently, OCV has over 100 members who enjoy a varied calendar of events. Car shows, day trips, overnight trips, extended trips or other events are usually scheduled each month. Membership is open to anyone interested in Corvettes. More information is available on our Web site at [www.ocvettes.com](http://www.ocvettes.com).

## O C Vettes 2022 - 2023 Club Officers

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<b>Director</b>	Bernie DeMarkey	(714) 981-5875

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