FIBERGLASS FOREVER

CORVETTES OF FRESNO

"HOME OF THE LONGEST RUNNING ANNUAL CORVETTE EVENT ON THE PLANET"

ESTABLISHED 1963 MAY 2015

JON DEVOE MEMORIAL EDITION

OWNER: JON & LIZ DEVOE

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COF MEMBER SPOTLIGHT
2010

Names/Nicknames: JON & LIZ DeVOE

Corvette(s): 1975 PEARL WHITE W/TURQUISE GRAPHICS, L-82 STINGRAY
2006 VELOSICITY YELLOW W/BLACK GRAPHICS

Ages: 48 & 48

History and/or Marital Status: BOTH MARRIED W/HISTORY, & AGREED ON THE "TILL DEATH DO US PART" THING

Children: COREY, 20; MELISSA, 22; MATT, 24; MARCUS, 25

Hobbies: CORVETTE DRIVING/RIDING, HORSEBACK RIDING, CAMPING & QUADING

Pets: 5 GEESE; 4 CHICKENS; 3 HORSES (SKEETER, MYSTIC, LILLY); 3 DOGS (SYSKA, CHEYENNE, ELLEMAY) 2 CATS (SNOOPY, WHISKEY) & A PEACOCK IN A PINE TREE

Occupations: JON - HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR FOR CALTRANS-COVERING HWY 41 FROM AVE 12 TO YOSEMITE PARK ENTERANCE. LIZ - PROPERTY MANAGER OF RESIDENTAL & COMMERTIAL UNITS

How did you discover COF?: INTERNET SEARCH OF "THE BEST CORVETTE CLUB IN THE WORLD"

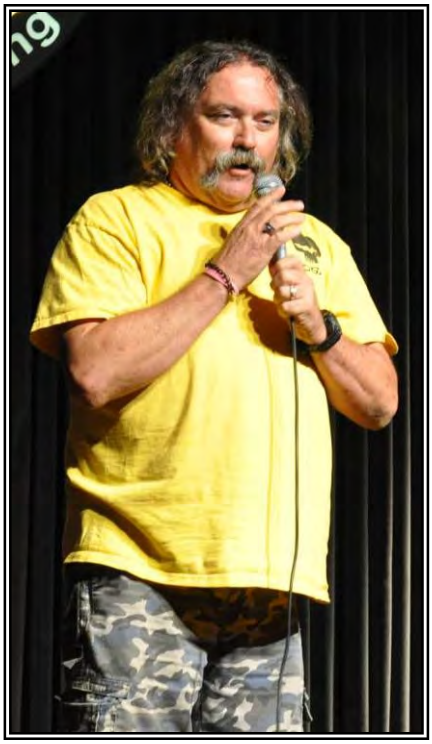
Favorite Foods: JON = THI FOOD & A GOOD BBQ. LIZ = POTATOES (ANY)

Favorite Restaurants: JON = "THAT GREAT THAI RESTAURANT IN REDLANDS & ANY SEAFOOD ON THE COAST" LIZ = FISHWIFE IN MONTEREY

Favorite Places to Visit: COLORADO, MONTEREY & SAN DIEGO

Fantasy COF Run: DRIVE TO COLORADO / WYOMING FOR CHEYENNE FRONTIER DAYS & THEN COME HOME THROUGH TOMBSTONE AZ.

REMEMBERING JON



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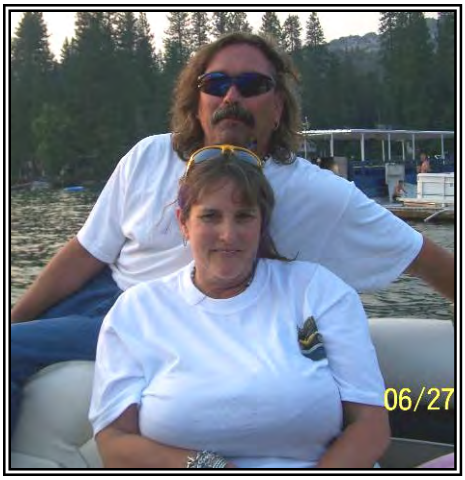
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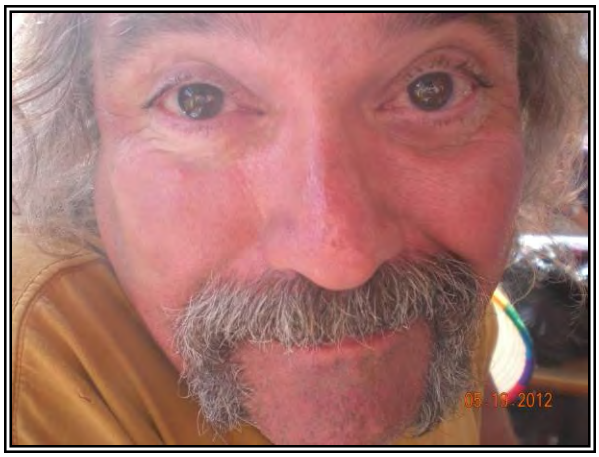
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CORVETTE RACING
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Are You Tired?

SEGWAY

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CORVETTES OF FRESNO, INC
Is a non-profit organization formed by those owners who are proud to drive America's only true sports car
THE CORVETTE

Our club meetings are held at 7:00 pm on the third Tuesday of the month at Yosemite Falls Cafe 4020 North Cedar Between Dakota & Ashlan on the East side of Cedar

If you are an interested Corvette owner, we invite you to attend.

The one time initiation fee is $30.00 and covers the cost of your Corvettes of Fresno window sticker, membership directory, club by-laws, nametag and many other goodies.

The annual dues are $95.00 per year per couple, or $77.00 per year per individual.

COF BOARD MEETING NOTICE

CORVETTES OF FRESNO BOARD MEETINGS ARE HELD THE FIRST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE OLD SPAGHETTI FACTORY ON SHAW NEAR CEDAR AVE START TIME IS 6:30 PM EVERYONE IS WELCOME

1957 TRIVIA

The 1957 Corvette was the first mass produced American automobile to offer 1 horsepower per cubic inch of engine displacement (283hp/283ci).

The "Polo White" color was last used in 1957.

1957 was the first year a limited slip differential and fuel injection were offered as options.

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newsletter@corvettesoffresno.com

THE PRESIDENT'S EXHAUST

Hello Everyone,

In early-April we lost one of our Members, Jon DeVoe passed away from a heart attack at his home, with his wife Liz, by his side. Jon was a past COF President, a Club Member and our Friend.

Jon was only 54 years old, but he led a full and happy life. He was one of our resident comedians and even performed at the Catch a Rising Star Comedy Club during our last Tahoe Event. Jon was a kind person and he will be missed. During this time of loss, please show your love and support for his wife, Liz DeVoe.

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Our April 21, we had our General Meeting and the place was packed. It's great to see everyone attending the meetings and all of the new members we are getting. Our club is growing, let's make sure we make them feel welcome. Clay Mumby did a good job performing his duties as well as taking over and handing the Activities position, while Chuck Feccia is on vacation, we appreciate all that he does.

Since the last meeting we have had a Meet & Eat put on by the Minnich's, the Nethercutt/NHRA run by Jim Agar and the Kingsburg Dinner Run by Harry Bellow. These were all excellent events with large attendance. Thanks to everyone for their hard work in putting on these events, it's appreciated.

It was good to see our Members with health issues attending the meeting. Keep on getting better! Nick DiLiddo didn't attend the meeting, he is still recovering from his heart surgery and we are counting on Angie to keep him in line, so he gets better soon.

Jim and Lynne Agar have decided to move to Utah at the end of April. Jim Agar is one of our most valuable Members, he produces our COF Newsletter and is on the Tahoe Committee where he handles a large amount of the details required to put on this event. Jim and Lynne have also been responsible for many great runs that were very well organized and lots of fun. Thankfully, Jim will still be handling the Newsletter from his new home and they will be there with us at Tahoe 47. We wish them well in their new home and they will be missed.

We have many runs and events coming up, keep your eye on the Newsletter and the Upcoming Events page on the web site. So far, we don't have anything planned for June, so step up and plan a run, 1 day, 2 day or whatever sounds good. Any run is a good run.
Well, that's all for now. Give your loved ones a hug and cherish the time we have on this earth.

Thank you,
Chris Campbell

CORVETTES OF FRESNO - GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
April 21, 2015

Call to Order: President Chris Campbell called the meeting to order at 7:01 P.M. Board Members present were Kaye Campbell, Nancy Teixeira, Jim Agar, and Clay Mumby. Chuck Feccia was absent. The Pledge of Allegiance was shared by all. President Chris Campbell welcomed all members and guests. Chris announced that Jim and Lynn Agar are moving, and Jim told the club they would be leaving next week for St. George, Utah, but they will continue to be members and he will continue to do the newsletter. The club presented them with a card and cake was served during the meeting.

Secretaries Report: Minutes of the meeting March 2015 are published in the COF newsletter. A motion to waive the reading of the March 2015 minutes was made by Lynn Agar and seconded by Bruce Looney Motion carried.
A motion to accept the March 2015 minutes as published in the Fiberglass Forever newsletter was made by Dave Dutton and seconded by Allen Teixeira, Motion Carried Unanimously!

Treasurers Report: Kaye Campbell reported the accounts activity for March, which is on file to be reviewed by members only. A Motion was made to approve the treasures report as read. The Motion was made by Dennis Christensen and seconded by Gene Fox Motion Carried Unanimously.

Membership: Clay Mumby reported attendance for the April 21, 2015 meeting. There were 65 members and 14 guests. Guest who introduced themselves was, Richard and Michelle Ripplinger, Frank and Loretta Battaglia, LJ Say and Jenna Carsey, Larry Cervantes, Jacob Kochergen, George and Patty Miller, Ron and Pat Mattos, and Robb and Cindy Kochejar. Clay also welcomed Sierra Corvette members who are joining Corvettes of Fresno. Corvettes of Fresno, has 127 members and 81 corvettes.
All April birthdays and Anniversaries were acknowledged. The amount of the name tag drawing for the month of April is $30.00. Remember to always sign in at the beginning of all meetings!
.New Members presented their packages was: Louis & Socorro Biglieri, Mike & Toni Labrucherie, Sam Smith, John & Cece Karlie, and John & Carol Trauger.

Communication: Jim Agar announced that the April edition of Fiberglass Forever was 20 pages printed and 38 pages on the Corvettes of Fresno web site. If anyone has any articles or pictures for the Newsletter for the May edition please submit to Jim Agar by Thursday evening April 23, 2015. This issue will be a tribute to Jon Devoe.

Webmaster: Webmaster Chris Campbell reported that he still needs 9 pictures of cars member page.

Activities: Chuck Feccia was absent, so Clay Mumby gave the report, please refer to the Calendar of events in the club newsletter, or on the club web site, www.corvettesoffresno.com for more details and up to date information. **Guests are encouraged to attend any event, come join the fun! Remember all sign up sheets are on the side table.**
Past events were:.
March 20th Meet and eat at Olive Garden, Larry Minnich chaired and reported 27 people attended.
April 11 & 12 Nethercutt and NHRA Museums hosted by Jim Agar and Allen Teixeira, Clay reported that it was a very impressive tour
April 11th Tower District Car Show, one person attended
April 17th Kingsburg PreCar Show and dinner at Diane's, Harry Bellow reported 25 cars attended
April 19th Celebration of Life for Corvettes of Fresno member Jon Devoe was well attended and a thank you went to Dave Cavanaugh for his memorial on Jon and also for all those who helped set up and provided food. A special thank you goes out to Bert Sherman for all the work he did to make the memorial rememberable, by making special place mats for all the tables which he provided.

Report on upcoming events.
May 2nd Meet and eat at Andiamo's at 2:00 P.M., hosted by Larry Minnich

May 5th COF Board Meeting 6:30pm at Spaghetti Factory
May 12th Tahoe Meeting 7pm Denny's Blackstone & Herndon
May 16th Speed & Feed hosted by Jim & Joan Kozera at 11:00 A.M. No cost and deadline to sign **up** May 6th**.**
May 19th COF General Meeting 7pm Yosemite Falls at Granite Park
May 30th & 31 Wine run and dinner to coast, hosted by Rick & Sherry Beattie and **Dave** & Teri Cavanaugh limited to 30 cars, $30.00 per couple & BYOB.
June 25 - 28 Corvettes of Lake Tahoe event.
Sept 10 -13 Tahoe 47
December 4th COF Christmas Party at TorNinos, Sharon Minnich chairing

WSCC Allen Teixeira explained to new members and guests why we belong to WSCC and encouraged guests to attended any event, they are always welcome and it counts towards your requirement to become a members. Please let Allen know if you do not receive your Redline.

Tahoe 47, Jim Agar reported that everything is on track, we have 49 registrations and Allen Teixeira said everyone is welcome to attend the Tahoe Meeting on **May 12th** the committee will have new information to report from their trip to Reno next week.

S**unshine Report** given by Sharon Minnich, Gene Fox was present and reported on his knee injury, Chuck Robb reported on his infection and tumor, he's doing well, Terri Cavanaugh reported she is stable, and Angie DiLiddo reported on Nick's surgery and thanked everyone for their cards, calls, and prayers. Sharon reported that a plant was sent to Celia Feccia and we received a thank you from her. It was also reported that a donation was made to Relay for Life in Jon DeVoe's name by COF.

Old Business;
Billie Talley said she had 6 orders for jackets, but she needs the money before she can order.
Bert Sherman and Gene Fox talked about the passing of member Jon Devoe and what he meant to them and the club.
Dave Cavanaugh thanked Jim Agar for all the work he has done for the club and he was given a standing ovation.

New Business:
No new business was brought forward.

Name Tag Drawing:
The drawing for this month is $30.00 and Gwen Cox's name was drawn she was not present; the drawing will be $40.00 next month.

50/25/25 Raffle:
First ticket drawn was John Karlie $57.00, second ticket drawn was John Johnson also for $57.00.

There being no further business a motion was made by Bert Sherman to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Chuck Robb the meeting was adjourned at 8:07pm

Respectfully submitted by Nancy Teixeira
By/ net

NANCY TEIXEIRA
SECRETARY

CLAY'S MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Membership

Clay reported that as of the 2015 Calendar Year COF has 127 members and 81 cars.

Members & Guests

Total attendance: 79 - 65 Members & 14 Guests: Richard and Michelle Ripplinger, Frank and Loretta Battaglia, LJ Say and Jenna Carsey, Larry Cervantes, Jacob Kochergen, George and Patty Miller, Ron and Pat Mattos, and Robb and Cindy Kochejar.

Nametag drawing

Gwen Cox's Name was drawn, She was not present.
Next Months Drawing will be for $40.00

Remember to wear your nametag at the meeting for a chance to win.

CLAY MUMBY MEMBERSHIP

Club Directories and Updates

The 2015 electronic copy of the club membership directory is available online at www.corvettesoffresno.com (contact Chris Campbell for the new access info)

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

JERRY & JO ANN NAJARIAN 7 - JOHN & JUDY JOHNSON 9
KERRY & JEANNIE DEHMEL 9 - CHUCK & JESSIE ROBB 18
CHUCK & CELIA FECCIA 24 - JIM & LYNNE AGAR 25

MAY BIRTHDAYS

JACK QUIGLEY 2 - RON MILLER 7 - TERSA OCHOA 7
MARYANN SCOTT 19 - DEBBIE DUKES 20
RUTH LOONEY 24 - CELIA FECCIA 25 - CLAY MUMBY 27

50/25/25 DRAWING WINNERS

John Karlie

John Johnson

EACH WON

$57.00

CONGRATULATIONS

A Florida senior citizen drove his brand new Corvette convertible out of the dealership. Taking off down the road, he pushed it to 80 mph, enjoying the wind blowing through what little hair he had left.

"Amazing," he thought as he flew down I-95, pushing the pedal even more.

Looking in his rear view mirror, he saw a Florida State Trooper, pulled over to blue lights flashing and siren blaring. He floored it to 100 mph, then 110, then 120. Suddenly, he thought, "What am I doing? I'm too old for this!" and await the trooper's arrival.

Pulling in behind him, the trooper got out of his vehicle and walked up to the Corvette. looked at his watch, then said, "Sir, my shift ends in 30 minutes. Today is Friday. If you can give me a new reason for speeding -- a reason I've never before heard -- I'll let you go."

The old gentleman paused then said: "Three years ago, my wife ran off with a Florida State Trooper. I thought you were bringing her back."

"Have a good day, Sir," replied the trooper.

CORVETTES OF FRESNO
NEWEST MEMBERS

JOHN & CECE KARLIE

LOUIS & SOCORRO BIGLIERI

MIKE & TONI LABRUCHERIE

SAM SMITH

JOHN & CAROL TRAUGER

CONGRATULATIONS
WELCOME TO CORVETTES OF FRESNO

CHUCK'S 2015 CALENDAR OF EVENTS PAGE

MAY 5, 2015 TUESDAY - BOARD MEETING 6:30 PM AT THE OLD SPAGHETTI FACTORY ON SHAW NEAR CEDAR AVE

MAY 12, 2015 TUESDAY - TAHOE MEETING 7:00PM AT DENNY'S ON THE CORNER OF BLACKSTONE & HERNDON

MAY 19, 2015 - TUESDAY - GENERAL MEETING 7:00 PM AT YOSEMITE FALLS CAFE LOCATED AT 4020 N. CEDAR IN GRANITE PARK

MAY 2ND - SATURDAY - MEET AND EAT HOSTED BY LARRY AND SHARON MINNICH WILL EMAIL DETAILS

MAY 16, 2015 - SATURDAY CORVETTE FEED & SPEED
JIM KOZERA - 559-260-0304

MAY 30TH - SATURDAY - RUN TO CAYUCOS AND MORRO BAY, APPETIZERS AT RICK AND SHERRY BEATIE IN MORRO BAY AND THEN ON TO DINNER AT DAVE AND TERRI CAVANAUGH'S, COST IS $30.00 PER COUPLE AND BYOB.
SEE FLYER FOR DETAILS 559-439-7519

DEC 4TH CHRISTMAS PARTY AT TORNINOS, $35.00 PER PERSON FROM 6 TO 11. SHARON MINNICH CHAIRPERSON. 559-449-3331

CHUCK FECCIA
VP ACTIVITIES

TAHOE PLANNING MEETING

THE NEXT TAHOE MEETING WILL BE HELD AT 7:00PM TUESDAY MAY 12, 2015 AT DENNY'S ON THE CORNER OF BLACKSTONE & HERNDON

PLAN A RUN

TAKE US TO YOUR FAVORITE PLACE

TAHOE 47 - SEPTEMBER 10 - 13, 2015

CORVETTE FEED & SPEED

SAVE THE DATE - Saturday May 16, 2015

You will not want to miss this day of CORVETTE enthusiasts enjoying their cars.

What: Corvettes Speed & Feed Run. Not really a race, just a lower foothill run to enjoy the views and our favorite cars, OUR CORVETTES! Then some free food, drinks, car ogling, conversation, and maybe even some activities to participate in or enjoy watching.

Where: Start at Hwy 168 & Temperance (Park & Ride lot)
When: Saturday May 16, 2015 ----- 11 am

IMPORTANT! Please arrive a little early as we will leave at 11 am sharp!
Cost: NONE – ALL FREE! -- Just Show Up With Your CORVETTE

REQUIRED FOR ATTENDANCE: YOUR CORVETTE AND RSVP

We must have a notice of your attendance to be able to make sure that we have enough food and drink for all that attend so please let us know if you plan to attend ……. Thank You.

RSVP by Wednesday May 6, 2015 by calling: 559 260 0304 or 559 876 2519
OR email: jimkozera@gmail.com or joankozera@gmail.com

LIMITED TO FIRST 30 CORVETTES

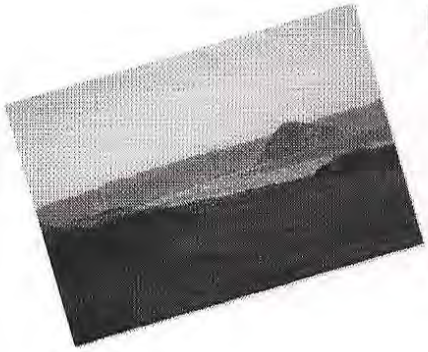
A WINE TASTING / DINNER

MAY 30 2015

CAYUCOS

May 30, 2015

WATCH THE SUN - SET OVER THE WATER



RUN TO A WINERY IN CENTRAL COAST
(WILD HORSE WINERY)

HORS D' OEUVRE'S
RICK & SHERRY'S HOUSE IN MORRO BAY

STEAK / BEANS / PILAF / SALAD DINNER
$ 30.00 PER COUPLE
BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS

@ DAVE AND TERRI'S HOUSE IN CAYUCOS
559 351-1920
OR
E-MAIL @ DAVECAVANAUGH09@COMCAST.NET
NO ROOMS HAVE BEEN RESERVED – MUST MAKE YOUR OWN RESERVATION

ALLEN'S WSCC PAGE

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WESTERN STATES CORVETTE COUNCIL
50th Anniversary Convention and Celebration
July 6th – July 12th 2015 ~ Reno Nevada

GSR GRAND SIERRA RESORT AND CASINO

Schedule of Events

Monday, July 6th -
- **10:00 am to 5:00 pm**
  - **Convention Registration opens @ GSR – Silver State Pavilion** (Conference Center) –
- **5:00 pm – 9:00 pm**
  - **Meet & Greet Party @ GSR – Silver State Pavilion –**

Tuesday, July 7th
- **8:00 am**
  - **Convention Registration continues – Silver State Pavilion**
- **8:00 am – 3:30 pm**
  - **WSCC Convention Car Show – co-hosted by: *Discovery Bay Corvettes***
  - **Registration & move – in for Corvettes only & pre-registered – SS Pavilion**
- **6:00 pm – 9:00 pm** (times subject to change)
  - **Club Hospitality Room Competition – 6 designated Deluxe suites at GSR** (contact convention@wscc.ws for club sign ups)

Wednesday, July 8th –
- **7:45 am** (Assemble)
  - **#1 NAS Fallon Run, Tour and Lunch, co-hosted by: *Reno Corvette Club***
- **9:00 am** (Assemble)
  - **#1 Poker Run, co-hosted by: *Reno Corvette Club***
- **10:00 am**
  - **# 2 Poker Run, tour** (co-host TBA)
- **6:00 pm**
  - **Bowling Tournament at GSR – co-hosted by: *Santa Clara Corvettes***

Thursday, July 9th -
- **8:00 am** (Assemble)
  - **Track Day – Fernley 95a Raceway – co-hosted by Santa Clara Corvettes**
  - **Managed by Hooked on Driving**
- Time to be announced:
  - **Reno Shopping Tour & Lunch co-hosted by: *Reno Corvette Club***
- **6:00 pm BBQ sponsored by Abel Chevrolet – co-hosted by Delta Corvettes (Location TBA)**

Friday, July 10th –
- **7:45 am** (Assemble in parking lot at GSR)
  - **#2 NAS Fallon Run, Tour and Lunch, co-hosted by: *Reno Corvette Club***
- **9:00 am** (Assemble)
  - **#3 Poker Run, co-hosted by: *Reno Corvette Club***
- **10:00 am**
  - **# 4 Poker Run, tour** (co-host TBA)

Saturday, July 11th –
- **9:00 am (Assemble)**
  - **WSCC Auto-X co-hosted by: *North Bay Corvette Assn. Managed by SCCA Reno***
- **5:00 pm – Registration & Cash Bar opens (Silver State Pavilion)**
- **6:00 pm – Banquet – Buffet – Speaker (TBA) - Silver State Pavilion**

Sunday, July 12th - Convention Ends

Tahoe 47

"THE LONGEST RUNNING ANNUAL CORVETTE EVENT ON THE PLANET"

September 10-13, 2015

Silver Legacy Resort Hotel & Casino - 407 N. Virginia St. Reno, Nevada

(COVERED SECURE PARKING ON LEVEL 6 & 7 OF THE SELF PARKING GARAGE)

Registration: Forms available on the website: www.corvettesoffresno.com
also released via e-mail - teixeira2k@att.net

Registration must be Received by August 15, 2015

How Much: $165.00 per couple, $100.00 singles

LIMITED TO THE FIRST 100 CARS

DUE TO CONTRACTS WITH OUR VENDORS WE CANNOT ISSUE ANY REFUNDS ON CANCELATIONS AFTER AUGUST 15, 2015

EARLY BIRD DRAWING
ALL PAID REGISTRATIONS POSTMARKED BY MAY 1, 2015 WILL BE ENTERED IN A DRAWING FOR A CHANCE TO WIN $100.00 CASH!

Highlights

Welcome Social Thursday Night

No Host Dinner at La Strada's Italian restaurant

Shine & Show Friday at Scheels "worlds largest sporting goods store"

Slot Tournament $10.00pp - Friday Afternoon

Catch a Rising Star Comedy Show - Friday Night (some parts may be objectionable)

Scenic Poker Run along the shores of Lake Tahoe ending with lunch - (extra hands $5.00) Saturday Morning & Afternoon

Black Jack Tournament Saturday afternoon

Awards Dinner at Silver Legacy - Saturday Night

PLEASE NOTE - DRESS CODE FOR AWARDS DINNER IS SMART CASUAL

www.corvettesoffresno.com for Additional Details & Updates
All Net proceeds from Tahoe 47 will be donated to Charity

Accommodations

Silver Legacy Hotel & Casino: (800) 687- 8733 Use the Group Code 915CORV
Room Rates: Thursday $76.00 Friday & Saturday $122.00 (plus tax & resort fee)
Buffet Breakfast for 2 each Day is Included!
(must book through group code 915CORV to get included breakfast buffet)
Register now so you don't miss out on the 47th Tahoe Tour
Register by August 9, 2015 for Room Rate Guarantee

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday:

REGISTRATION HOURS THURSDAY - 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR LATE REGISTRATION
CALL LYNNE AGAR @ 559-593-1126 PRIOR TO 8:00 PM THURSDAY

5:00 pm -7:00 pm - Welcome Social - Rum Bullions Island Bar
7:00 pm - 9:00pm - No Host Dinner at La Strada's Italian restaurant located in the Eldorado Hotel & Casino - just a short walk from Rum Bullions.

Friday:

8:00 - 9:30 am - Complimentary Breakfast at Flavors Buffet

10:00 am – 1:00 pm - Participant's Choice Shine "N" Show at Legends Mall - Home of Scheels "worlds largest sporting goods store"

3:00pm – 5:00 pm - Slot Tournament - Silver Baron Room - $10.00 p/p Payable at Event
4 GUARANTEED WINNERS (all event participants invited to attend)

7:00am - 9:00 pm - Catch A Rising Star Comedy Show - Special Guest Appearance by Donnie Dukes (some parts may be objectionable)

Saturday:

8:00am – 9:30 am - Complimentary Breakfast at Flavors Buffet

10:00 am - 2:00 pm Scenic Poker Run along the shores of Lake Tahoe ending with lunch. (lunch not included)

3:00pm - 5:00pm - Black Jack Tournament - Silver Legacy main Casino floor

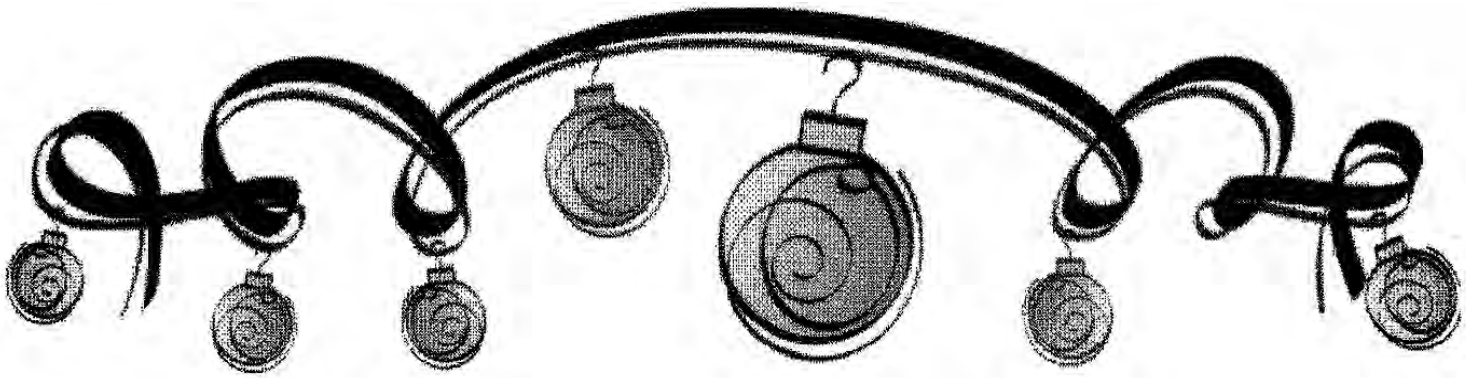
6:00pm - 7:00 pm - Pre-dinner Social - No Host Bar

7:00pm – 10:00 pm - Awards Dinner and Ceremony

HAVE A SAFE WEEK-END - PLEASE DON'T DRINK & DRIVE

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN THE $165.00 REGISTRATION FEE?

1. **DUFFEL BAG & BLANKET**
2. **BREAKFAST FOR 2 EACH MORNING AT FLAVORS BUFFET (must book through group code 915corv)**
3. **THURSDAY NIGHT HOSPITALITY IN RUM BULLIONS BAR**
4. **FRIDAY SHINE & SHOW AT LEGENDS MALL**
5. **FRIDAY NIGHT COMEDY SHOW IN THE "CATCH A RISING STAR SHOWROOM"**
6. **SATURDAY - SCENIC POKER RUN ENDING WITH LUNCH (lunch not included)**
7. **SATURDAY NIGHT AWARDS BANQUET**



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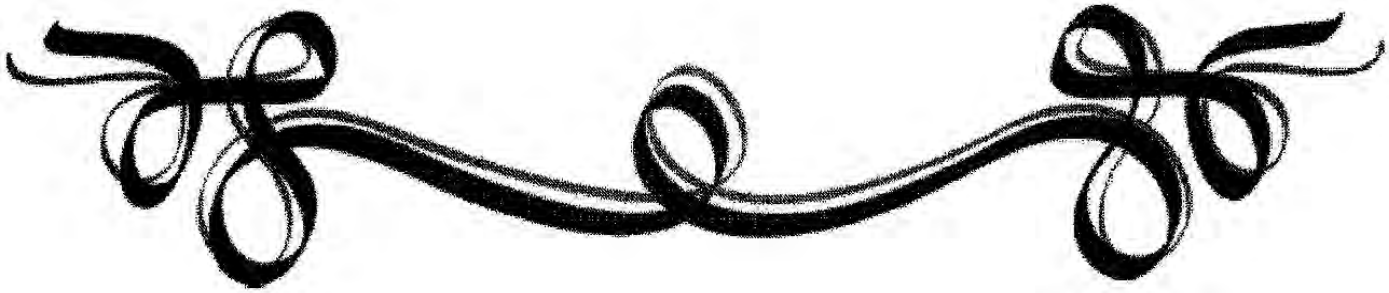

GM to Reduce the Powertrain Warranty on Corvettes by 40,000 Miles in 2016

If you need a good reason to buy a Corvette Stingray or Z06 before the end of the 2015 model year, keep reading because I am going to give you 40,000 reasons why you should buy a 2015 Corvette over the upcoming 2016 model.

Earlier this month, General Motors announced a roll back to the powertrain warranty on all Chevrolet vehicles including the Corvette Stingray and Z06 to 60,000 miles from the 100,000 miles currently offered on 2015 models.

Since 2007, Chevrolet has offered a 5 year/100,000 powertrain warranty on its vehicles including the Corvette. That move was hailed by GM's leadership who said that it proves they stand behind the quality of their vehicles. Starting in 2016, that warranty will be 5 years or 60,000 miles, whichever comes first.

That means the buyer of a 2015 Corvette Stingray or Z06 will have 40,000 more miles of warranty coverage over future models.

In addition to the rollback in miles, Chevrolet will also be reducing the number of free service visits offered each year to just two visits per year in the first 2 years or 24,000 miles.

According to GM, the 5 year/100,000 mile warranty is not one of the main reasons people use to justify their purchases according to research done by the automaker.

The reasons for the rollback were detailed in a memo to dealers from Chevrolet vice president Brian Sweeney and GMC vice president Duncan Aldred:

"Through research, we have determined that when purchasing a new vehicle, included maintenance and warranty rank low on the list of reasons why consumers consider a particular brand over another,"

"As a result, we have benchmarked our competitors, reviewed our current offerings and have concluded the following modifications to align closely with our customers' needs and expectations," it said.

We think that GM is being short-sighted by reducing the powertrain warranties. We'd rather see them being a leader as opposed to reducing coverage which is more in line with their domestic competitors. Explaining this to potential new Chevrolet/Corvette owners that somehow reducing warranty coverage is a good thing reminds us more of the old GM than the new GM.

So with the 2015 model year rapidly coming to a close, now may be the time to pull the trigger on that new Corvette Stingray or Z06. After all, there are 100,000 reasons to say yes!

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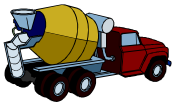

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