



NCCC PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

April 2015

Warm weather is on the way, spring is here, and summer is right behind it. For anyone visiting NCCC's web site, look at all we offer the Corvette owner and Members of NCCC. If you are not sure what we are all about, check out a Club where you live. Click on the State you live in and find a Club near you. Join in the fun of belonging to a group of people who own and drive the same car you do.

The first NCCC Governors Meeting this year was held in St. Louis on February 28, 2015. Friday night all the Committee Meetings were held and Saturday afternoon was the first quarter Governors Meeting at 12:30 PM. The business at hand started with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag led by Bernyce Molenda from Texas. Regional Officers were introduced followed by honoring those Members who have passed away. National Officer Reports were given and Officers and Committees were appointed for 2015.

A proposal to support the National Corvette Museum (NCM) in Bowling Green KY was presented to sponsor one of the Garages being built at the new Motorsports Park (MSP) which opened Labor Day week end in 2014. Sponsoring a Garage at the Track will give NCCC great exposure to Corvette owners who don't know about NCCC. The Garage will have a 4' x 8' sign with the NCCC logo and "We Came for the Cars, We Stay for the People". There will also be a 4' x8' NCCC sign at the entrance to the MSP. Both signs will have our www.CORVETTESNCCC.ORG web address on them.

Guy Larsen, Owner of the Bloomington Gold Corvette Show, presented to NCCC a slide program about the new location for the Show at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. NCCC is hosting the Autocross Event there managed by NCCC Members from the NCCC Indiana Region. The show dates are June 25-27, 2015. Please come out and support them and see the Grand Daddy of Corvette shows. You will have a good time for sure.

The Meeting finished with door prizes and 50/50 raffle. NCCC's next Governors Meeting is April 25th

April 22, 2015 at 9 AM the NCM is having a "One Acre Club" Appreciation event for everyone who purchased an Acre to help build the track. NCCC owns one of those Acres.

Each "One Acre Club" individual member is invited to bring one car and two people. Each "One Acre Club" Business/Club may bring up to two cars per acre with two people per car. NCCC Members Gary and Pat Kelly and Bill and Bev Docherty will attend as Representatives of NCCC's Midwest Region. Spectators who are NCCC members are welcome. Spectators must pre-register which is free, with an optional lunch with a fee. Please call Katie at 270-467-8846 to attend.

Many clubs in NCCC have a National Corvette Museum (NCM) Club Ambassador. NCCC does not have anyone who represents NCCC in this format. Many NCCC Members, Clubs, and Regions have contributed to the NCM, but NCCC has never been able to account for all the support we have given them. Having an NCCC Ambassador who would collect all donations, NCCC would be able to show how much NCCC supports the NCM.

David and Linda Goebel, members of East Tennessee Corvette Club, have stepped forward and are willing to represent NCCC as our Ambassador to the NCM. If you, your Club, your Region, or any business connected with NCCC have supported the NCM in any way, please send David and Linda that information.

If you, your Club, your Business, or Region in the future plans to donate to the NCM, write your donation to the NCM, and please forward it to David and Linda Goebel. The check would still be written to the NCM, and you would still get credit for the donation, but so would NCCC. We need to show the NCM just how much NCCC supports them through individuals, clubs, and regions. Just looking at NCCC Members who supported the “One Acre Club”, I can count well over \$100,000.00 to the NCM. As I walk around the museum, I see more bricks and tiles from NCCC Clubs and people than from any other organization. We are a HUGE supporter. Also let David and Linda know if you are a member of the NCM.

Please send your note of Membership, past donations and future support for the NCM to:

**NCCC NCM Ambassadors
David and Linda Goebel
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Until my next report, get out and have some fun with your Corvette. You won't regret it.

**Dave Heinemann
NCCC President**