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# ***First State Corvette Club***

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<b>NCM Ambassador</b>	<b>Open</b>

The FSCC Meeting was held Wednesday Oct 6, 2010 at Roma Restaurant in Dover, DE. Vice President Chatty Reed called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

### **Reading and Approval of Minutes.**

Motioned by Walt Ruebeck,  
seconded by Carole Kisner and  
approved unanimously.



## **DUES ARE DUE**

### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

**Bob & Edna Gentile**  
**Millsboro, DE**  
**2002 Red Coupe**

**Jim Jones**  
**Dover, DE**  
**1990 White Coupe**

**Stan & Laura Lavend**  
**Milford, DE**  
**2008 Red Convertible**

**Angelo & Lee Rossetti**  
**Delaware City, DE**  
**1997 Red Coupe**

### **MEMBER CAR OF THE MONTH**



**John Cullen's** car is 2007 Victory Red Z06 coupe with 427 cubic in. 505 hp. John says, "It is my third corvette I traded in a black 2004 coupe for the Z. And many moons ago I had a 57 Corvette for a short period before it was stolen. No insurance, it was a track car so I lost everything. I was on my honeymoon and they tore the garage door off and took it."

**From the President:** After the pledge of allegiance, Vice President Chatty Reed gave the Presidents report. Bruce wanted to thank all those that worked Dover Downs. This is a great money maker for our club. Also, the Porsche Club is having an Auto Cross on Oct. 17th in Dover for those interested.

**Vice President:** Chatty Reed reminded members that November's meeting will be at Roma Italian Restaurant on Bay Road in Dover. The December meeting will be at the Festival Buffet at Dover Downs on **Friday** Dec. 3rd.

**Secretary:** Absent

**Treasurer:** Submitted by Kathy Olechny.

Beginning Balance	\$
Deposits	\$
Withdrawals	\$
Ending Balance	<hr/> \$

A motion was made by Tammy Mounts and seconded by Frank Silvaggio, to approve the treasurer's report, passed unanimously.

**Membership:** Dick announced we have 39 paid members before this meeting. Remember, dues, \$30, are due now. If you do not pay your dues by November, you will not receive a newsletter after November.

**Corresponding Secretary:** Anyone knowing of a member or a member's family, that is under the weather, let Tracy Solloway know the names and addresses.

**Publicity:** Carole Kisner reported that there was a piece in the paper about our donation to Mended Hearts at the last meeting. And there will be a group picture of those that went to Suicide Bridge coming up soon.

**Parade Chairman:** Sharon Reed reminded everyone of the sign up sheets for upcoming parades.

Fri.Oct.8th - Caesar Rodney Homecoming - need 14 cars.

Fri.Oct.8th - Smyrna Homecoming - Tracy Solloway is helping Smyrna.

Sat.Oct.16th - Wesley Collage Homecoming- need 9 cars.

Sat.Oct.16th - Del State Homecoming - need 2 cars.

No calls received so far about Poly Tech or Dover High Homecomings.

Rules are: no jewelry, one person (Queen) to sit on back of car, King sits in seat, no shoes, no signs. Car owner will bring blanket for girl to sit on, on car.

**National Corvette Museum:** Chatty mentioned that he would like to caravan in 2014 to the museum. Mark your calendar.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Audit:** On Sept. 20th, 2010, Tim Sarchett and Darlene Hurley reconciled the books for the First State Corvette Club and found no discrepancies. A suggestion was made that a spreadsheet be kept for budgetary activity on all expenses and deposits. This would be for such things as flags, cling-on's, stamps and other organization expenses incurred. The treasurer will keep this spreadsheet since she had all the information.

## **Past Events**

**Vettes in Glasstown** - Rained Out. Rain date was Sunday Sept 19th, the day of our Scavenger Hunt. Those that pre-registered received their dash plaque and goody bag in the mail.

**Cruise In at Chicago Uno Pizza** - on Saturday Sept 18th the First State Corvette Club hosted a cruise in at Chicago Uno on Route 13 in Dover. Chatty reported that there were 30 cars attending and we will do it again in the spring. The restaurant will send a check for 20% of the total bills of anyone from the cruise in that ate at Uno's.

**Scavenger Hunt II** - on **Sunday Sept 19th**, there was a Scavenger Hunt around the Dover area. 6 cars met at Greentree Shopping Center at 1 pm, got their lists, shopping bags and accessories.

They had three hours to accumulate as much as they could from the list. We met at Uno Chicago Pizza at 4 pm to tally up the winning points. There was First Place, Jack & Sandy Powell, Second Place, Marianne Callahan and Darlene Hurley, and Third Place, Bill & Kathy Olechny. We all ate an early dinner at Uno's and they added the 20% of our bills to the amount they will send for the cruise in. Great time was had by all.....

**Dover Downs Gate 15** - We had 22 people work taking tickets at Dover Downs on Friday, Saturday and Sunday this year. Expenses for food and drink was \$151.39. The check from Dover Downs was \$1356.83 and \$1205.44 will be used for scholarships.

## **Upcoming Events**

**Toys for Tots Run to Atlantic City** - This year the Run is on **October 9th**. Sponsored by Kerbeck's in AC. It was reported that the Run will no longer be driven on the expressway. Everyone going will go directly to the stadium. It was decided by FSCC members to drop this event as you can't drive the expressway.

**Free State Corvette Club show in Ocean City MD** - Friday and Saturday **October 15 - 16** will be the Thunder on the Boardwalk show in OC. Anyone going should contact Chatty Reed at 302-678-9897 so he can coordinate where to meet. Chatty has some rooms at the **Clarion Resort Fontainebleau** at 101 Costal Highway - 410-524-3535 for rooms. The rooms are under Charles Reed, FSCC if you call to book a room. It is fun to drive your car on the Boardwalk at least once. Think about it.....

**Friday Oct 15th**, dinner is at 6 pm at BJ's on the Bay on 75th Street.

**Saturday Oct 16th** is the show - lunch will be noon in the Cork Bar on Wicomico Street north of Thrashers French Fries. 750 cars are expected.

**American Legends at Long's Park** - Sunday October 3rd at Long's Park, Route 30 in Lancaster, PA across from the Park City Mall. Chatty & Sharon and Bruce & Donna went up on Saturday for Kitchen Kettle Village shopping, Lancaster sightseeing and spending the night near the show grounds. Was a good show, nice weather and lots of Corvettes.

**Trip to Flight 93 Memorial - Sat. Oct 23 and Sun Oct 24**

- Norm Kaiunis reserved a block of 15 rooms at the Casselman Inn in Grantsville, MD. At this time, they have no other reservations for Sat.Oct. 23rd so we should have plenty of room. Rooms are \$63.95 + tax. All rooms reserved are two double beds and located on the second level. If you want to reserve a room other than these, like a queen or a room at ground level, call and advise Jackie at 301-895-5055 and mention the club. Any questions, call Norm at 410-209-0711. We currently have 10 cars signed up for this weekend cruise. Come and join the group. And don't forget to reserve your room. There were handouts at the meeting. If you missed one, call Norm.

**Breakfast at Ronald McDonald** - on **Saturday October 30th**, the FSCC members will cook breakfast at the Ronald McDonald House in Wilmington. We go up twice a year and take all the fixin's to cook breakfast for the current residents of the house. Since this year's visit falls on Halloween, you are allowed to dress up, just not something scary since the residents are mostly children. We will leave the Smyrna Rest Area at 7:30 am, and we are usually done by 10:30 - 11 am. This is a worthwhile endeavor and everyone always has a good time with the children. To see the scary lot that cooked last Halloween, go to the website to see pictures.

**Corvettes for Chip** - 4th Annual Corvette Show **Sunday, November 7th, 2010** (Rain date - Sun. Nov. 14th) **Brandywine Picnic Park**, 690 S. Creek Road, West Chester, Pa 19382. Signup sheet will be at the next meeting. Anyone going from FSCC will be leaving the Smyrna Rest Area at 7 am.

**Old Business**

**None**

**New Business**

**New Members:** A motion was made by Dick Kisner to accept the following persons as members of the FSCC:

**Bob and Edna Gentile**

**Jim Jones**

**Angelo and Lee Rossetti**

**Stan and Laura Lavend**

The motion was seconded by Darlene Hurley, passed unanimously.

Welcome new members. Now sign up for something. You'll be sorry you missed out on a good time.

**FSCC Christmas Meeting/Party:** Darlene Hurley will form a committee to see what we will do this year at the Christmas Party. If you have any suggestions, contact Darlene. The Soto Meeting / Christmas PARTY will be on FRIDAY December 3rd at the Festival Buffet in Dover Downs Slots. More info to come

**Points Program:** Just a reminder from Marianne Callahan about the points program. The program will run from Sept 1 until August 31. All points will be considered "club" dollars. You can use these dollars for payment on flags, patches, shirts, decals, name tags and annual Christmas Party. Signature Stitches, RWM and Pete Thompson do honor the "dipstick dollar".

A handout on the program was available at the meeting or you can see the rules online under NEWS section - 2011 Points Rules.

**Dinner Cruise:** Carole Kisner announced plans for a dinner cruise to the Mt. Harmon Plantation near Earleville, MD on **Dec 5th** at 1 pm. The plantation decorated for Christmas so it should be a good time to go there. We would then eat at the Kitty Knight House in Georgetown, MD. Sign up sheet will be at the next meeting.

## GOOD OF THE ORGANIZATION



Pete says "Can you spell Nail? Found it in my tire."

**Wax & Chat** - Norm had a signup sheet for anyone in the club that would like to have their car "clay barred". Check your email for more information. Or call Norm.

**Apple-Scrapple Car Show:** Norm mentioned that this car show is **Sat. Oct. 9th** in Bridgeville, DE. The car show is on Delaware Street and Norm will be attending. If you are going, let Norm know to save you a spot.

**Del Rods Cruise Night** - Tammy and Bob wanted everyone to remember cruise night at Greentree Sat. Oct. 9th. Anyone wishing can meet at Modern Maturity Center on Route 8 in Dover at 4:30 to cruise in together.

**Member of the Year:** - Nominations were taken from the floor for Member of the Year. Nominee's were Hugh Lafferty and Chatty Reed. Chatty declined. At the November meeting, we will accept more nominations and vote on Member of the Year.

**Motion made by Tyler Bullock,  
seconded by Bob Mounts,  
to adjourn the meeting.**

*Meeting Adjourned at 8:17pm  
Respectfully Submitted,  
Kathy Olechny  
Highly Recommended Substitute  
Secretary*

## 50/50 Won By

**Vickie Thompson**

Thanks to Pete Thompson & Jim Murray  
for selling tickets

## Trivia Won By

**Melvin Geiger**

Thanks to Tim Sarchett for bring Trivia

## NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, 2010

Roma Italian Restaurant,  
Bay Road, Dover, DE

Dinner 6:00 Meeting 7:30

## A *Peek* into the *Past*

2008 Hot Air Balloon Festival - G & Terri,  
Chatty & Sharon, Terry & Jowana,  
Marianne, Darlene, Bruce & Donna, Ron  
& Kim, and Holly & guest.





## **Attendance for October 6th**

Cathy & Norm Kiaunis  
Pete & Vickie Thompson  
Walter Ruebeck & Connie Rizzo  
Chatty & Sharon Reed  
Jim & Lois Murray  
Bob & Katie Kohr  
Tyler Bullock  
Bill & Kathy Olechny  
John Cullen  
Mel Geiger  
Bob & Tammy Mounts  
Gary Thurlow  
Lee Moran  
Art & Ann Matichak  
Jack & Cynthia Mason  
Mike & Lynette Gentile  
Bob & Edna Gentile  
Billy & JoAnn Vorwald  
Dick & Carole Kisner  
Sandy & Jack Powell  
Patrick & Marianne Callahan  
Jim Woodland  
Terry & Jowana Lamb  
Rick & Linda Berry  
Tim & Kathy Sarchett  
Jim Jones  
Darlene Hurley  
Frank Silvaggio

**October Birthdays**

10-1 Jesse Keleher  
10-1 Julie Moran  
10-7 Jowana Lamb  
10-9 Dell Grioli  
10-11 Jim Murray  
10-11 Katie Kohr  
10-16 Sandy Powell  
10-18 Chuck Hutchings  
10-31 G Gregoretti  
10-31 JoAnn Vorwald  
10-31 Midge Yacono

## **Club Anniversaries**

### **OCTOBER**

<b>Art &amp; Ann Matichak</b>	<b>6 yrs</b>
<b>Bob &amp; Tammy Mounts</b>	<b>6 yrs</b>
<b>Susan Palen</b>	<b>6 yrs</b>
<b>Dave &amp; Tracy Solloway</b>	<b>6 yrs</b>
<b>Billy &amp; JoAnn Vorwald</b>	<b>1 yr</b>
<b>Jack &amp; Cynthia Mason</b>	<b>1 yr</b>

## **Club Embroidery**

If you wish to have items embroidered  
with the First State Corvette Club logo, or  
purchase a shirt, jacket, etc,  
contact either location below:

**Signature Stitches**  
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**736-6500**

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To order Name Tags - \$8.00  
Contact Carole Ann Kisner  
302-492-8115

For Club Car Flags – Contact Bruce  
Ballard (302) 670-0500  
Flags are \$12 each

For Club Patches – Contact Bruce  
Patches are \$3.00 each

For Window Clings - \$3.50  
Contact Darlene Hurley  
302-659-0252

## **Other Clubs Events**

### **Del Rods 2010 Schedule:**

Oct 9 Cruise Night 5pm-9pm  
**Oct 30 Car Show 9am-3pm**

Milford Sonic - First Thursday Each  
Month - Cruise In - No fee/No awards

Road Aces - First Saturday each month -  
Cruise Night - 4-8 pm - Sports Zone  
parking lot, Gateway North, Smyrna

Cruising Nights at TGI Fridays in  
Rehoboth - Every Thursday night 4-9

## **2010 Car Show Sponsors**

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