

# Air Capital Corvette Club Newsletter

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## **Message from the Prez . . .**

Happy Fall Y'all! (I couldn't resist throwing that in.) September was a fantastic month for our club and calls for many thank you's to everyone who made our events so successful. If I leave anyone out, I apologize. First of all thanks to Jack and Murla the drive and eat was enjoyed by all. We never seem to lack for places to go for good fun and food.

The Funkahana has been described by everyone who was there as REALLY FUN!! In particular thanks to Kevin, Kent, Randy, Lin, Marsha and Mike (good grillin'). Thanks also to everyone who pitched in and helped with running the course. Let's do it again next year. We might want to reconsider allowing anyone with the last name of Crigler to enter so that the rest of us could have a chance to win. And, we need to invest in an intensive care First Aid kit in case another bottle throwing incident should occur. The blood gushing from Kent's head made a colorful ending to the day and we are all grateful that he chose not to press charges against his wife.

The Southwinds Car Show was another huge success. Congratulations to all who took home

plaques or prizes. Even better, we are invited back next year.

I'm sure everyone who attended the Lakepoint Car Show was overwhelmed by the hospitality and welcome were shown by the staff and residents. Between ACCC and Southwinds we had over 50 cars.

Finally our next regular membership meeting will be at Don Hattan, October 7 at 7:00. Memberships are due for 2010 by the November 4th meeting and I am sure that Randy King would be happy to accept your checks anytime between now and then. Our November meeting is also the annual meeting for election to E-Board. Welcome to our new members since September 1....your dues are already paid for next year. Coming up October 10 is a Drive and Eat and be sure to plan on coming to the Poker Run and Halloween Party on October 24. This is a great time of the year to get together and have fun.

See you all soon,  
Dale



## Minutes from the September 2, 2009 ACCC Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Dale Brotton at Don Hattan Chevrolet.

We welcomed guests Marina & Kevin Brown of Hutchinson who have a '67 roadster. We also welcomed Gary & Terry Eslinger. The motion was made and passed to accept the minutes as printed.

**Vice-President** - David Snodgrass reported that we have 80 members and the new member packets were available.

**Treasurer** - Randy King reported that the checking account has a current balance of \$1505.84 plus he has \$20.00 cash.

**NCCC Governor** - Bob Battaglear reported on the up-coming car shows: Sept., 19th is the South Winds show and Sept. 26th is the Lake Point show.

**Secretary** - Marsha Battaglear had nothing.

**Officer-at-Large** - Kevin Mansfield reported the points race as 1st Mansfield, 2nd Mehls 3rd Barkers 4th McKee, and 5th Brottons. He reported that all rooms for Eureka Springs were taken at this time, but he was still keeping a list. He reminded everyone that the Funkhana will be Sunday Sept. 13th at the Newton Airport.

**Newsletter** - Kent Michael told us that the decals had been printed wrong and he had some to sell. The correct decals will be ready next week.

### Old Business

A caravan will leave Sam's at 9:30 for the South Winds show Sept. 19th.

A caravan will stage at the zoo at 8:00 and leave at 8:30 for the Lake Point show on Sept. 26th.

The Halloween party will be hosted by Barb & Dale Brotton at their home on Oct. 24th. It will be a covered dish with more info at the Oct. meeting. Leslie, Margaret, and Mary will help Barb. The rally will be replaced with a poker run. Kent Michael will organize that with the help of Dick Volkman and Mike McKee,

Randy & Lin have the Newton Airport secured for the Funkhana. Kevin and Kent will go early to set up the course. Bob & Marsha Battaglear will set up the games and bring the food.

### New Business

Membership dues are now due. They must be paid by November 1st to avoid the new membership fee of \$50. Current members pay \$45 for renewal. Associate members pay \$20.

Chuck the Tuner has been contacted to come back to Wichita. Possible times are Oct. 30 or Nov. 10th. Contact Monte Rans if interested. He needs at least 10 people to commit.

Members are encouraged to run for E-Board. The term is for 2 years with possibility of re-running for another term. You are reminded that you run for the board but NOT a specific office. The seated board elects the officers amongst themselves. Contact any current E-Board member if interested. The elections are at the November meeting. (We have some interested men but we need women to step up and be on the board) Randy King can run again for the board but Marsha Battaglear and Kevin Mansfield are off.

E-Board set the cost to run a business card sized ad in the newsletter at \$30 per year. The membership agreed.

The Drive & eat is changed to the 12th this month. Jack & Merla Crossman will lead us from the Truck Stop across from Don Hattan's at 5:30. We will be going North to Marion.

### Swap & Shop

Bob Battaglear has a 2001 Z06 with 35,000 miles for \$22,000.00. He has a 2010 Gran Sport on order.

Randy King has a 2000 coupe with 76,000 miles for \$18,000.00.

**50/50 Pot** - won by Leslie Snodgrass

**Door Prize** - Drawing was won by Travis Pearson.

The meeting was adjourned

Respectfully submitted  
Marsha Battaglear,  
Secretary

FYI Linda Tillman had a benign brain tumor removed. She is doing well and was even at the Lake Point show. Here's hoping for an uneventful recovery.

**Friday, October 9th  
Drive & Eat**

**Meet at the Truck Stop  
on the South West side  
of the  
61st Street North  
and I-135 Exit.**

**Hosted By:  
Gene & Marcene Brown**

**Group Leaves  
Promptly at 6:00pm**

### 1.5 Millionth Corvette is Back "Home"

Corvette enthusiasts will be excited to hear the 1.5 millionth Corvette has returned to the National Corvette Museum. The car will be on permanent display as the Museum has purchased the car from General Motors.

Enthusiasts will soon see a new "Milestone" display featuring this Corvette, plus the 500,000th Corvette and the 1 Millionth Corvette.



## Minutes from the September 23, 2009 ACCC E-Board Meeting

The meeting was hosted by Bob and Marsha Battaglear. All members were present.

President Dale Brotton called the meeting to order and some time was spent on justifying all enrollment records. Dale reported on Linda Tillman who has had a brain tumor removed. A card will be available to sign at the meeting.

Dale told us that the Don Hattan dealership wants us completely off the lot by 8 pm. We are asked to park beyond the gate outside of the dealership. We may need to discuss starting the meeting earlier. No decision was made.

Barb Brotton read a letter from the Special Olympics thanking us for our participation in their fund raising event.

**Vice President** - David Snodgrass stated that we have 81 memberships.

**Treasurer** - Randy King reported that we now have \$1787.84 in checking with \$20.00 held out for cash.

**Officer-at-Large** - Kevin Mansfield reported that he is in first, Mehls are 2nd, Barkers are 3rd, McKee is 4th and Glen Bailey is 5th. He also has one room available for Eureka Springs. He will send out a note to the membership in case anyone is interested in taking it.

**Governor** - Bob Battaglear had nothing new to report.

**Secretary** - Marsha Battaglear read the e-mail from Jan Stephens of Lake Point stating that the decision had been made that the show will go on. The current weather report has rain only in the morning if at all. Marsha read her response that informed Jan that rain would affect attendance.

**Newsletter** - Kent Michael asked Dale and Marsha to please get their articles to him by Sat. so he can get the newsletter out before Eureka Springs.

### Old Business

We discussed that we should purchase 125 of the bad decals to be used on plaques etc.

The Funkhana was a huge success. We made \$14 after paying expenses and prizes. Most food was eaten and everyone had a great time. The course was a bit easier. 1st Place went to Rex Corbin and Sarah Crigler driving a C5 (yeah really!!!) 2nd Place went to Angie and Don Crigler (note Sarah beat them!!!) and 3rd Place went to newbie Bruce Granheim. Thanks to everyone who jumped in to help. Special thanks to Lin and Randy who secure the venue and clean the area so it is safe for the cars. Thanks to Kent and Kevin for setting up an easier course and Kent for monitoring the lights and times. Thanks to my husband for helping me maneuver awkward "stuff" to get it out there along with the food.

Barb & Dale have decided that hotdogs and chili will be provided. Everyone can bring "fix ins", side dishes and desserts. The Poker Run will start at 4pm and the party will start at 6pm.

We need to recruit more members to come forward to run for the E-Board.

Memberships are due. The deadline is Nov. 1st. Kent will place the membership form in the newsletter. Elections will be Nov.4th.

### New Business

Barb shared a letter from the Frisco Holiday Inn inviting our club to stay there for the Vettes on the Rockies show in 2010. That show will be 8/5 – 8/8.

We agreed to meet next time at the Snodgrass home on Oct. 21st.

We adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marsha Battaglear,  
Secretary







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## 2009 Schedule of Events

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|-------------|--|---------------|--|
| October 1-4 | Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend, Eureka Springs, Arkansas.   | October 17    | 25th. Annual Haysville Fall Festival Car & Bike Show, Riggs Park, Haysville, Kansas.                         |
| October 2-4 | 2nd. Annual Downtown Hutchinson Rockin' Rollin' Rod Run, Main Street, Hutchinson, Kansas.  | October 17    | Walton Rural Life Festival 2nd. Annual Antique & Classic Car Show, Downtown Walton, Kansas.                  |
| October 3   | Andover Days Charity Car Show, Hosted By Wheat State Falcons, Central Park, Andover, Kansas.   | October 24-25 | Sedgwick Street Rodders 10th Annual Swap Meet, Kansas State Fairgrounds, Hutchinson, Kansas.                 |
| October 7   | A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.   | November 4    | A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.                         |
| October 9   | October Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Gene & Marcene Brown   | November 7    | November Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Monte & Chris Rans  |
| October 10  | 11th. Annual Haven Fall Festival Car Show, Haven, Kansas.  | November 7    | 9th. Annual A & Red's Transmission Parts Open House & Car Show, 3737 W. 29th. Street South, Wichita, Kansas. |
| October 10  | 21st. Annual Rose Hill Fall Festival Car Show, Main Street, Rose Hill, Kansas.   | December 2    | A.C.C.C. Meeting, 7:00 P.M., Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Dr., Wichita, Kansas.                         |
| October 11  | 5th. Annual Kruz'n For Kids Toys For Tots Charity Cruise, Meet at WSU and Cruise to Mid America Auto Auction, I135 & 47th., Wichita, Kansas. | December 4    | December Drive and Eat, Hosted by: Daryl & Cindy Burbach   |





# Air Capital Corvette Club

Wichita, Kansas

## Membership Application

Regular membership dues for A.C.C.C. are \$50.00 per year for new members and \$45.00 per year for renewals. Membership dues include A.C.C.C. spouse membership and one National Council of Corvette Clubs (N.C.C.C.) membership.

Associate membership, designed for the non-Corvette owner, is \$25.00 per year for new members and \$20.00 per year for renewals. Associate membership does not include spouse or N.C.C.C. membership.

A.C.C.C. requires all members to be at least 18 years of age and hold a current valid driver's license.

Dues for renewals are payable on September 1st and are considered delinquent after the November A.C.C.C. meeting. Renewals received after the November meeting will be considered as new. Memberships received after September 1st will be valid through the next calendar year.

Please fill out this form and bring it to the next meeting of The Air Capital Corvette Club or mail to:

Air Capital Corvette Club  
P.O. Box 813  
Wichita, KS 67201

Checks should be made payable to:

Air Capital Corvette Club

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Regular Membership	Associate Membership	Amount Paid: \$ _____
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Initial)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip) Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current valid driver's license? Yes No State Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment/Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

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### Spouse:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Initial)

Do you have a current valid driver's license? Yes No State Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment/Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

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Year(s) and Type of Corvette(s) Currently Owned: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Members Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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## **Air Capital Corvette Club**

### **October, 2009 Newsletter**

**Next Meeting**  
**Wednesday, October 7th, 2009**  
**7:00 P.M.**  
**Don Hattan Chevrolet**  
6000 Hattan Dr.  
Wichita, KS 67219

***The Air Capital Corvette Club meetings*** are held at 7:00 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at Don Hattan Chevrolet, 6000 Hattan Drive, Wichita, Kansas unless otherwise stated.

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