

Reflections

January, 2025



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PRESIDENT KATHY HALL DECEMBER REPORT 2024

The LGCA Christmas party was held at Ashley Ridge by Wedgewood at 8199 Southpark Court in Littleton on Sunday, December 8th. The first impressions were how huge the facility was and so functional for our party. We were served appetizers at 5:30pm and drinks were available immediately. We were delighted with the decorations and everyone looked so festive and happy.

D.J. Maverick Mike once more provided wonderful music for singing along with and dancing too. We were delighted with some of our party goers' gyrations!

The menu included: charred Lemon Chicken Piccata, oven-roasted salmon, carving station for roast beef, garlic mashed potatoes, grilled seasonal vegetables, 8 assorted salads, fresh baked bread and butter and table of 3 desserts per person available. We certainly had an abundance of food and beverages.

There are lots of pictures posted of the event on Facebook and we were able to take our own pictures anytime. Missed some of our old faithful members but delighted with new faces such as Jane Walker, Bob Burroughs, and Sandy Seader. Hopefully next year they will all return.

Sure, there will be discussion about next year's Christmas Party so the Social Committee can know what to plan. There sure is a lot of work involved in this event, and it runs so smoothly we forget to say "THANK YOU" so please drop a card or call or text the Social Committee Planners.

Looking forward to next Business Meeting on January 7th - some of us start at Chapala Mexican Restaurant on 2049 Wadsworth Blvd at 5:00pm - all are welcome, and service is excellent and we are done by 6:00 - 6:15pm...been averaging about 26 people and it feels like we are certainly welcome by the staff...

WISHING ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPY NEW YEAR! Look forward to next year and some great adventures together.

Kathy

Vice President's Report Submitted by Sandy Seader

It's hard to believe it's December already and very soon we'll be celebrating the beginning of a new year. December 8th 2024 LGCA had its annual Christmas Party at Ashley Ridge By Wedgewood, 8199 Southpark Ct, Littleton, CO 80120. This was a new venue for us, and it was very nice, the people who worked there were very accommodating to our needs. The buffet dinner was amazing, the dinner included roast beef, chicken, salmon, salads and wonderful desserts. There was plenty of room for dancing to the music by Magic Mike. If you were not able to attend the Christmas party, you missed a very good time. A special Thank You to Judy Nielsen and the rest of the Social Committee for dinner and an amazing year of adventures for 2024. and I'm anxious to see what's in store for us in 2025.

FROM MY HOME TO ALL OF YOURS I WISH YOU ALL A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR! UNTIL NEXT YEAR.

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2025 Cruise-Ins

Phil Barnes, 12/15/24

1	Sundays	4-9 pm	Dairy Queen Cruise-in @	Starting in September just
			Pierce & S of Ken Caryl	informal gathering
17	1st Sat. of	8-11am	Lone Tree Cars and Coffee,	9535 Park Meadows Dr., Lone
	month		Rio Grande Mexican	Tree.
			Restaurant	
27	2 nd Sat. of	9-12pm	Espresso & Exhaust, Vehicle	This is a year-round event.
	Month		Vault, 18301 Lincoln	Check weather.
			Meadows Parkway, Parker,	
			80134	
27	2 nd Sat. of	3 pm win	Littleton Cruise in Show, Old	NW corner of Bowles and
	month	12pm sum	Crow's Antique Mall, 10081	Kipling. Get a free root beer.
			W. Bowles Ave.	Pretty much year- round.
27	2 nd Sat. of	1 pm	Rodz & Bodz Cruise in Show,	Year-round weather
	month		401 Englewood Pkwy	permitting.

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Minutes of the 4 December 2024 Meeting

The meeting was held at the Forney Museum of Transportation, 4303 Brighton Blvd., Denver CO. 21 member club representatives were signed in as was one individual member and a guest, Mark Milliken from the Oil Capitol Auto Club. Officers present were Dick Thompson, president; Tom Mansfield, 1st vice president; Calvin Craig, 2st vice president; Dick Fritz, secretary and Samantha Baker, treasurer.

The meeting was called to order at 7:27 pm.

Mary Sue Powell, Bill Miller's friend, announced that Bill had passed away from the stroke he suffered a month ago. Keith Robinson will serve as the Shelby Club's representative.

Ted Rossi: Dick Thompson and Leo Boyle have met with Ted, who is recovering but he is not ready to resume his role with the "Friends of Collective Cars" PAC and that work will be on hold for now.

Minutes from the October meeting were accepted as published.

Treasurer's Report was approved.

Legislative: Leo Boyle reported that the Legislature will reconvene on January 8th and committee appointees will be decided by that date. We will learn who will be on the transportation committees since they are the ones most likely to influence collector vehicles. Concerns about the unsolved atmospheric ozone problem may bring about restrictions on older cars on the road.

Historic Military Vehicles: Anticipating legislative action (perhaps a new bill) we will seek to learn how many military vehicles are currently owned in Colorado.

RMMA Airport Show 2025: Rick Ruel of the Cobra club has volunteered to be the chairperson of the 2025 show. The airport staff has told us that they no longer can provide drivers for the hay wagons that transport spectators to the show from parking lots due to insurance issues. We will explore other options, such as using pickup trucks or larger golf carts.. Other ideas would be welcomed.

Nomination of 2025 CCCC officers: Nominations for CCCC officers (President, 1st and 2nd Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer) were reopened. Samantha Baker has requested that she be replaced as treasurer. Tom Mansfield was nominated to be treasurer in 2025. John Ehrlich was nominated to become 1st vice president. Dick Thompson (president), Calvin Craig (2nd vice president), and Richard Fritz (secretary) are nominated to continue in their present positions. No additional nominees were presented and the candidates were elected by acclimation. Dick Fritz announced that he will temporarily continue as secretary but will need t be replaced for health reasons.

Budgets: Dick Thompson and Samantha Baker presented an excel spreadsheet showing 2024 income and expenditures, with projected finances through the end of 2024 and the proposed 2025 budgets. Approval of the Operating budget was moved by John Mack, seconded by Calvin Craig and passed unanimously. Approval of the Government Relations budget was moved by John Mack, seconded by Calvin Craig, and passed unanimously. Approval of the Car Show & Swap Meet budget was moved by John Mack, seconded by Calvin Craig, and passed unanimously. Dues and Assessment (legislative) will be unchanged for 2025. Renewal forms will be sent out later in this month.

Website: The CCCC web site (www.collectorcarcouncil.com) will continue to include copies of the minutes for one year only. Clubs are urged to check out details related to their club (contact person, events, etc.). By council policy, the web site will not promote events sponsored by non-CCCC-clubs.

January-February 2025 meeting: There will not be a CCCC meeting on January 1st. The Council's next meeting will on Wednesday, February 5th at The Rocky Mountain Metro Airport (Jeffco) in Broomfield. This will be our annual Presidents' meeting, to which every club's chief executive is invited. Traditionally pizza and soft drinks are provided. At this meeting, the proposed Bylaw Amendments (introduced at the September 3th CCCC meeting) will be brought up for a vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:26 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Richard Fritz, secretary

Make your dues and event payments with Zelle

Zelle is an online service provided by your bank that allows you to send money from your bank account to LGCA's bank account. Here's how it compares to other payment methods.

Cash payments can only be made at the monthly meetings.

Check payments cost you \$0.68 for postage and take 1 to 3 days for delivery.

PayPal payments cost you and LGCA. On a \$20 event fee you pay \$0.88 and LGCA pays \$1.22. It takes 1 to 3 days to transfer payments from PayPal to LGCA's bank account.

Zelle payments are free. No charge to you. No charge to LGCA. It takes 1 to 3 minutes to transfer the money from your bank account to LGCA's bank account.

Zelle is easy to use. It's one of the menu choices on your banks online banking service. To send money you need to provide LGCA's Zelle credentials. They are:

First Name: Kenneth Last Name: Pfohl

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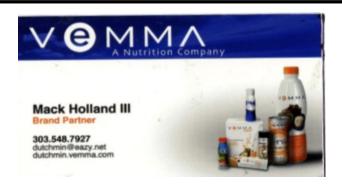
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- 2) Select Send Money with Zelle from menu
- 3) Click on Send
- 4) Select recipient and enter amount
- 5) Click on Review
- 6) Click on Send
- Click on Send
- 8) You will get an email confirming the payment was sent

Zelle is a fast, safe and low-cost method of making dues and event payments. I ask you to consider using it.

Thanks. Ken Pfohl Treasurer

Marketplace Ads





John Rullo of Deluxe Speedometer and Cable Service is offering club members a 15% discount on ACDelco batteries. To receive your discount just show your LGCA name tag!

Thanks Phil Morgan for setting this up!





Please see the following categories for preferred Service & Parts pricing for Members of the Corvette Club- this applies to any vehicle registered in their name.

Standard Service Repairs- 10% off Retail Labor rates

Maintenance Pricing - Maintenance menu pricing same as Emich Employee Price

Parts & Accessories- 10% of Retail List

Tires- We have several tire programs available thru GM- depending on the situation for a specific tire it will either be at \$12 over our cost or we will utilize GM's price match feature when applicable whichever provides the lowest price to the Member.

New & Used Vehicle Pricing- - We will do anything we can to offer preferred pricing on our New & Used vehicles- Depending on Inventory levels, our cost basis, total availability etc.-

Vehicle Protection Products- 25% off Retail list

Extended Mechanical Coverage

Tire & Wheel Coverage

Tint/ Clearmask

Ceramic Coating

Windshield Protection



Discount Tires at all locations is offering club members a 10% discount on tires. To receive your discount just show your LGCA name tag!

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