



Reflections

November, 2024



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PRESIDENT KATHY HALL'S OCTOBER 2024 REPORT

Fall is here for sure – leaves changing colors and falling everywhere. One day 80 but next day 60 and it's sweater on and sweater off time. We cleaned up the car and attended the WATERSTONE FALL FEST CAR SHOW on October 13th. The event was at 5896 So. Alkire Street. It was from 11:00 – 2:00 so was nice to sleep in for a change. The cost for the car show was \$10.00 and was for Waterstone Church's food pantry.

Free family-friendly festival featuring live music, a pumpkin patch with pumpkin games, petting zoo, corn bag toss, face painting, an artisan market with Colorado made products, free hot dogs, chips & water and a car show. We all ate at least two dogs and free popcorn too!

We had 6 corvettes in the show: Phil Barnes, Leroy Nielsen, Bill Hall, Tom Robben, Bob Burroughs and Carl Boone. It was a lovely morning to sit outside and talk with friends and strangers too. There were lots of kids and Leroy let a few sit in his car for pictures and Bob Burroughs gave away a few hot wheels to the delight of a few kids and parents.

Wish more of us would show up for these fun events to show your car and enjoy each other's friendship. Here are a few pictures to enjoy.



Kathy

Business Meeting Minutes

Submitted by Jane Walker

LOOKING GLASS CORVETTE BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES October 1, 2024

The meeting was called to order by President Kathy Hall at 7:00 pm. Officers present were **Kathy Hall**, President, **Sandy Seader**, Vice President, **Jane Walker**, Secretary, **Ken Pfohl**, Treasurer and **Bob Burroughs**, Public Relations.

Susan Wozniak, Membership had no new members or visitors to introduce.

Bob Burroughs, Public Relations said he handed out several business cards but, unfortunately, he has not received any follow up from any of them.

He was very impressed with the turn out, the efficiency and the organization at the Emich dealer appreciation car show in September. When he spoke to members of the 4 C's club, they complained that their club does not do much so Bob invited them to join LGCA!

Ken Pfohl, Treasurer went over the Budget vs. P & L Statement handout which covers the club from January through September. He was confident that there would be an excess in the contingency fund and that the club is very close on the Activities amount budgeted. He predicted that by the end of the year the club would be within \$600 of the budgeted amount.

Jane Walker, Secretary announced that name tags for new members and those requesting replacement name tags were given out.

She commented that the selling of the 50-50 raffle tickets hawked by herself and Cindi Lombard at the Emich Car show was successful. She commended Cindi Lombard for having cute T-Shirts printed to identify where participants could buy tickets.

Sandy Seader, Vice President wished a happy birthday to all members that have October birthdays. There was an oopsy when she learned that two members had been omitted from the list so they were wished a separate very Happy Birthday.

Regarding past events she reported there were 150 cars registered for the Emich Car Show and commented on how smoothly the parking went.

Several club members attended the Flatlanders Car Show in Goodland, KS September 27-29th where 268 cars were registered. Unfortunately, none of the LGCA cars were "hot" enough to receive awards, but the temperature every day was HOT!!

Kathy Hall, President was pleased that \$1266 was raised in the 50-50 raffle at the Emich Car Show. She contacted a representative from Dave's Locker and met in a parking lot at a 7-11 to present them with the money out of the trunk of her car. She hoped people didn't think they were doing a drug deal!! Bob Chelle won the 50-50 raffle drawing and graciously donated it back to the charity. Many thanks to Bob and Karen. She commented that the club really does put on a first-rate show and thanked all that helped. Thank yous to 34 people are in the mail!

Social Committee Chair Judy Nielsen, unfortunately was in Hawaii – so sad – so Kristelle Nielsen filled in. There are updated calendars and flyers on the back table and on the website.

Upcoming events include:

November 5, the thanksgiving pot luck is prior to the business meeting and reminded members that only 10 desserts will be needed as there will also be the monthly "birthday cake." Please RSVP by October 31.

November 16, the cookie exchange will be held at Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church at 9th and Kipling in Lakewood. Please RSVP by October 25.

December 8, The Christmas party at Ashley Ridge. The cost per person will be calculated using the sign-up sheet from tonight and the people signing up on the website. If 100 attend the cost is approximately \$68 per person but if only 80 attend the cost will be approximately \$93 per person. If you have music requests for Maverick Mike, the DJ please place them in the basket at the back of the room.

Linda Stevens, Carol Olson and Madelyn Gartner, sporting matching t-shirts that read "The Hell I Won't", reported on the trip to Ouray, Telluride and Durango. The group experienced various activities in perfect weather- the open car train ride in Durango, great Italian food, Jeep Tour in Ouray, the beautiful fall colors and relaxing in what turned out to be a slippery hot tub. Even the LONG trip, in the dark and rain to the ER in Montrose was an adventure-ask Bob Stevens about that!!

Car Counsel: Tom Mansfield explained how desperate the counsel is for help. They are losing several top officers. This leaves no one to take over the car show/swap meet. As a volunteer you would be required to attend 2 meetings at the airport between January and August that last about 2 hours. They are looking for a club to sponsor the Car Show/Swap Meet. The sponsoring club members must be there at 7 am – 2 pm on Saturday August 2 to move cars and get them parked. The sponsoring club would receive about \$1500. If they cannot find a club to sponsor this event that would mean no funds would be available to retain our lobbyist. Without a lobbyist it's anyone's guess as to what legislation could be passed that and may not be favorable to car enthusiasts.

Car Shows: Phil Barnes and Bill Hall described what a great success the Emich Car Show was. There was good weather and 150 cars. Twenty-five registered cars did not show up but there were 25 cars that registered on site. Club members moved 150 cars Friday afternoon from the front to the back lots. They showed great appreciation for all the help they had. Bill saw a post on Facebook by a person that attended and he commented that it was a good show! The plaques awarded were well received and will be continued for next year. After the show about 50 cars were then moved from the back lot to the front. Emich was very generous and covered the cost of the plaques, food and other miscellaneous expenses. A huge **thank you to Bill Hall** for all the time he spent organizing and preparing packets for the show. It really paid off and contributed to the smooth execution of the event.

A possibility for next year would be to allow the LGCA members to compete but not be allowed to vote. Other suggestions are always welcome.

Upcoming Car Shows:

October 5 Arapahoe High School Annual Charity Car Show.

October 5 Faith on Wheels 11 – 2 pm Old Crow's Antique in Littleton

October 12 Spicy Monkeys Car Show across from Arapahoe Community College at Platte River Bar and Grill

October 13 in Longmont 10:45 am Mr. John Adams from the Corvettes of the Rockies had 14 cars at the Emich show and wanted to invite our club members to reciprocate by attending the **cars and coffee show** that includes a little ride of some sort.

October 13 Fall Festival at Water Stone Church at 5890 S. Alkire St, Littleton 80127 (near S. Alkire and Bevy's Liquor Store). It is from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm and costs \$10 to register.

Cruise-Ins are winding down.

October 5 is the last Golden cruise

Some year around cruise ins include:

Dairy Queen Cruise-Ins on Sundays over the winter in the afternoon.

Parker Vehicle Cruise as weather permits

Phil Barnes will include additional information about car shows and cruise-ins in his report including Halloween events that might be scheduled.

Refreshments: Sandi Robben thanked the people who brought the goodies to share for this evening.

Merchandise: Kristelle Nielsen has one 50th anniversary T-Shirt available for purchase for \$40.

The items that were messed up have been replaced. She again, reminded members that LGCA has purchased the items on display so she encourages members to purchase them first.

She has 4 new club shirts and they can also be seen by using the link on the website.

Reminder: Members cannot purchase the logo items outside of the club. Please see Kristelle for embroidering. She has tons of bling and corvette silhouettes of all generations are also available for purchase. Window decals, that are really cool (verified by Mike!), will be available at the November meeting.

NCM Ambassador: Steve Culbertson reported on the trip to the Corvette Museum. All who attended had a good time, but the management of the museum continues to be in disarray.

Clubs that have made substantial donations do not know how their money was used. They have increased memberships by 33% and in some cases 50% in others. The revenues are up, but the profit is down. The museum is a 501k, nonprofit and the motor sports park they are planning will be a for profit entity so there are some questions as to how monies they want to apply from the museum to the motor sport park can be managed. Currently the museum is being run by an executive committee.

Tom Robben shared information about former member Mike Beck who currently lives in Bailey, CO. Ann McQueen, Mike Beck's wife recently passed away. Mike also had an unfortunate accident himself when he fell off the roof and broke 13 ribs and fractured his neck. Mike's address is 4134 Park County Rd 72, Bailey, CO 80421 if you are interested in expressing your sympathy by sending a card or letter.

Kathy Hall shared that the Ouray and Durango trip was very special as former members Jan and Joe Politzki joined them for the adventure.

A medical report and other news:

Ben Aycrigg recovered nicely from his hip surgery but will undergo back surgery on the 28th of October.

Donna Fitzgerald is recovering from a knee replacement.

Wayne Madle showed up to the meeting clean shaven and a sleek hair cut!! If it wasn't for the large black top hat he sports he might not have been recognized!

The next board meeting will be at the Clements Center October 15th at 10 am.

The meeting adjourned at 7:56 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Jane Walker

2024 Cruise-Ins

Phil Barnes, 10/15/24

1	Sundays	4-9 pm	Dairy Queen Cruise-in @ Pierce & S of Ken Caryl	Starting in September just informal gathering
3	Tuesdays	5-8pm	Culver's Lakewood, 2035 S. Webster St. Lakewood	Every Tuesday, May-October. SE corner of Jewell & Wadsworth (across from Emich)
27	2 nd Sat. of Month	9-12pm	Espresso & Exhaust, Vehicle Vault, 18301 Lincoln Meadows Parkway, Parker, 80134	This is a year-round event. Check weather.
27	2 nd Sat. of month	3 pm win 12pm sum	Littleton Cruise in Show, Old Crow's Antique Mall, 10081 W. Bowles Ave.	NW corner of Bowles and Kipling. Get a free root beer. Pretty much year- round.
57	Last Sat. of every month		3479 Mountain Lion Drive, Loveland by Pharoah's Car Club of N. Colorado	March thru Oct. 2023



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Minutes of 2 October 2024 Meeting

The meeting was held at the Forney Museum of Transportation, 4303 Brighton Blvd., Denver CO. 26 member club representatives were signed in as was one individual member. Officers present were Dick Thompson, president; Tom Mansfield, 1st vice president; Calvin Craig, 2nd vice president; and Dick Fritz, secretary. The Jaguar club board of directors were welcomed.

Ted Rossi: Dick Thompson reported that Ted Rossi has suffered a severe stroke and now is in the ICU at St. Anthony's hospital and cannot receive visitors. Ted has been the chairperson of the Friends of Collector Cars Political Action Committee, which now is unable to distribute contributions. In fact the signatories are out of date. The CCCC now resolves by executive action that the Friends of Collector Cars Political Action Committee remove the names of the following signatories – Tom Kay (out of state), Gary Canady (deceased), and Ted Rossi (incapacitated) and add the names of Dick Thompson and John Ehrlich.

Minutes from the September meeting were accepted as published.

Treasurer's Report, presented by Dick Thompson, was approved.

Legislative: Leo Boyle discussed how the titling problem for historic military vehicles came about and the influence of agricultural lobbying. It may be necessary to craft new legislation that recognizes the historic significance of these vehicles. Colorado statutes make a distinction between "surplus military

vehicles" and "historic military vehicles".

Leo also noted the news article from Colorado's Regional Air Quality Council that emphasized the state's failure to solve the ozone problem and the prospect of EPA bringing sanctions against the state.

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 hiring a bus company. Other ideas would be welcomed.

Bylaw amendments: Calvin Craig and John Ehrlich withdrew the bylaw amendments introduced at the May meeting in favor of the comprehensive amendment presented by the CCCC bylaw committee. This will eliminate the conflict of the two original amendments.

Nomination of 2025 CCCC officers: Nominations for CCCC officers (President, 1st and 2nd Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer) were opened. 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. Nominations for all offices will remain until the November meeting, with election to take place at that meeting.

Misc: The Faith on Wheels club will hold their last fund raiser car show on October 5. The Blue Moon Brewery and the Forney Museum have rooms available for Holiday parties. Clubs seeking to hold Dust n' Shine events at the Forney Museum in 2025 should contact Dick Thompson. In 2025 Gateway Classic Cars will limit featured club status to one club only at their monthly last Saturday cars & coffee events. The NSRA 2025 Rod Run calendar meeting will be Oct.5 at the Sabres club house.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Next meeting: Wednesday, November 6 (yes, right after the national elections) at the Forney Transportation Museum, 4303 Brighton Blvd., Denver. Note that this is a change from the Colorado Auto Dealers Association building on Speer Blvd.

Respectfully submitted, Richard Fritz, secretary

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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:

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- 4) Select recipient and enter amount
- 5) Click on **Review**
- 6) Click on **Send**
- 7) 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 this location is offering club members a 10% discount on tires. To receive your discount just show your LGCA name tag!

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