



THE ENLIGHT'NER
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<p>2017 CLUB OFFICERS PRESIDENT----- LINDA GILBERT VICE-PRESIDENT----- KRISTIE SWEET SECRETARY----- KAREN AMMAN TREASURER----- DOUG GILBERT</p> <p>APPOINTED POSITIONS Activities----- All Members Web Master----- Bill Amman Statistician----- Vacant Car Shows----- Dave Overton Elections----- Betty Carey Newsletter Editor----- John Lucke Membership----- Kristy Sweet Sergeant at Arms----- Paul Borgen PAO----- Bill Amman</p>	<p>MEETING SCHEDULE: Tues. Feb. 13th, 7:00 Coconut Kenny's, Burlington Tues. Feb. 27th, 7:00 Village Pizza, Anacortes</p> <p>ACTIVITY SCHEDULE: Sat. Feb. 17th, Tacoma Corvette Club Annual Open House meet at Petco 10:00</p> <p>OTHER ACTIVITIES: Sat. Feb. 10th, 44th Annual Corvette & High Performance Meet Puyallup</p>
<p align="center">February Birthdays</p> <p>6 Karen Amman 13 John Lucke 19 Marlene Anderson 20 Sandra Wagner 23 Dave Thomason</p>	<p align="center">February Anniversaries</p> <p>5 Skip & Rita Nelson 8 Bill & Barb Strowbridge 14 Lonnie & Marlene Anderson</p>

Blast from the *Past*:

Since there were no meeting minutes in December or January this expanded “Blast from the Past” re-prints the “Proposed Events/Activities” from 1999.

How many did you attend?

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW SO YOU CAN JOIN IN ON THE FUN!
ANOTHER GREAT YEAR PLANNED

ASTERISK (*) BEFORE CLUB EVENT/ACTIVITY MEANS: ONE GAME POINT WILL BE GIVEN FOR PARTICIPATION.

*Saturday, February 13, Valentines Party. Dinner at Cranberry Tree Restaurant
Cocktails 6:30, dinner 7:00. Order off menu.

*Sunday, February 28, Alpaca Farm. Visit farm, lunch. Meet Round Table at 10 a.m.

*Sunday, March 7, Smitty's Potluck Car Show. Details to be announced.

•Sunday, March 14,. Roche Harbor Day Trip. Details to be announced.

*Sun-Sat, Mar 28-Apr 2, Oregon Coast Trip. Cruise to Depoe Bay, accommodation specials range from \$179-\$249 for 3 days, including full breakfast. Last night stay in Port Townsend. Gilberts.

•Sunday, April 11, All Club Brunch. Marque, BCC and Bellingham clubs invited to brunch at Semiahmoo. Fun cruise after. Details to be announced.

•Sunday, April 25, La Conner Museum. Visit museum, lunch at Big Lake Bar & Grill. Meet at Round Table 10 a.m.

•Sunday, May 2, Big 3 Car Show. (Formally All GM Show) Open to all GM, Mopar, Ford vehicles, at Jerry Smith Chevrolet on highway 20 between Anacortes and Mt. Vernon. Lots of trophies, door prizes, memorabilia and food sales, music, walking poker run.

•Sunday, May 16, Waterfront Car Show. Open to all makes/models. Held in conjunction with City of Anacortes Waterfront Festival. Music, food booths, crafts and more. Lots of trophies and door prizes.

•Saturday, May 22, Corvette Car Show at Western Corvette. Details to be announced.

•Sunday, May 30, Bellingham Corvette Club Car Show. Details to be announced.

•Sunday, June 6, Drag Racing. Cruise to Mission B.C. for a day at the "Drags". Lunch. Possible change to different run. if cannot work this one out. Details to be announced.

•Saturday, June 19, Corvette Roundup at Red Robin. (Formally All Corvette Show.) Open to all Corvettes. Held in parking lot by Red Robin Restaurant at the Burlington Mall. Lots of trophies, door prizes, music, food for sale, malls close by.

•Friday/Sun. Jun 25-27, WEEKEND AT LAKE CHELAN. Have booked entire hotel for next year. ROOMS ARE GOING FAST! Call 1-800-799-2332, tell them you are with MGCC. Humanns

*Thurs/Satf July 1-10. Pikes Peak/Mt. Rushmore Run. Details to follow. McAtees

*Fri-Sun July 9-11, Mt. St. Helens Trip. Visit several visitor centers, shopping and stop at Happy Days Diner on way home. Hotel, etc. to be announced.

*Sunday, July 18, Club Picnic. Sign-up sheet for what to bring, will be held at Lucy's parents' private campground in Sedro Woolley. Details to be announced.

Sunday, July 25, Kellogg Wedding. Come join Paul & Julia at their wedding and reception to be held in Bellingham. Details to be announced.

•Sunday, August 8, Marque Corvette Club's 3d Annual Corvette Show-n-Shine at Seaview Chev. Details to follow.

•Sunday, August 15, Northwest Trek. Visit park, lunch after. Meet Round Table at 9 a.m.

•Saturday, August 21, Port Townsend Car Show. Spend weekend in Port Townsend. Stay at the Tides Inn. Day trip planned. More details to be announced.

•Fri-Sun. Sep. 10-12, Lake Osoyoss. Take scenic cruise to Lake in Canada. Accommodation & activities to be announced. Spurrier

•Sunday, September 26, Anacortes Oyster Run. Details to be announced.

•October TBD. Club Halloween Party. Details to be announced.

November. Activities - to be announced.

December TBD. Club Christmas Party. Details to be announced.

December 31, New Year's Eve Party. Details to be announced.

Other Events

Sat/Sun, Feb 13-14, Vette & Performance Swap Meet. At Puyallup Fairgrounds, \$7 admission includes car auction. Info (360) 786-8844.

Fri/Sun, June 11-13, Vette-a-Bratton. Valley Vettea, BBQ, entertainment, poker run, road rally, trophies.

Sun/Wed, Aug 1-11, Hot August Nights in Reno. 3 days at Circus Circus, includes airfare, \$683.80. Other packages available. Contact Ken Noltensmeyer

Sun/Fri, Aug 29-Sep 3, Caravan to Bowling Green. Road trip leaving Seattle and ending up at Corvette Plant St Museum in Bowling Green. MGCC members contact Bill Strowbridge for details of this trip. Can coordinate with Marque club for trip.

Sun, Sept 12, Sedro Woolley Car Show. Details to be announced.

EVENTS/DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

MGCC Members of the year:

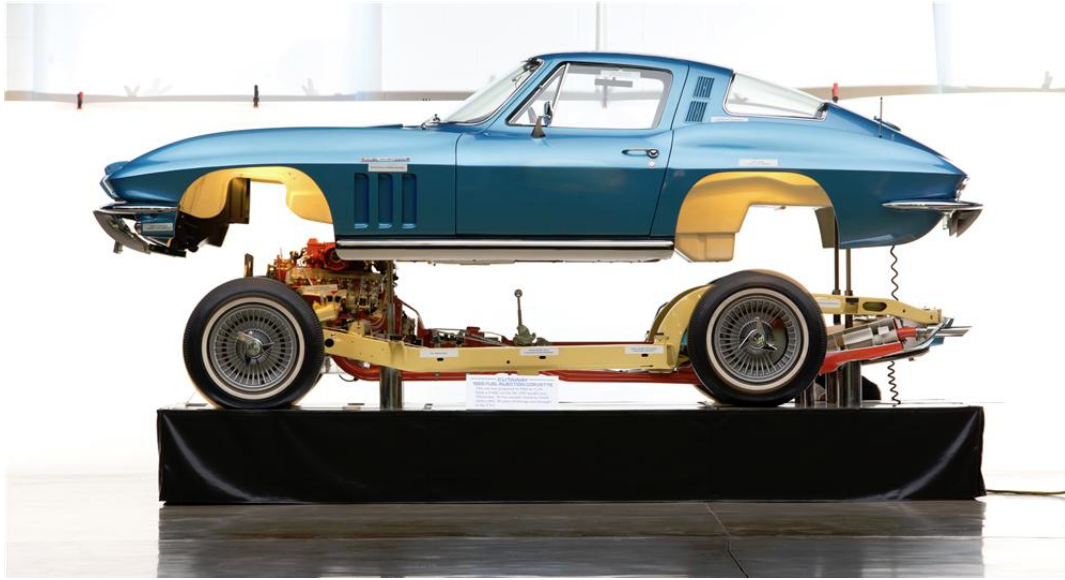
At the annual New Year's Brunch held at Calico Cupboard in Mount Vernon, club president Linda Gilbert ("Mother") presented the member of the year plaque to Bill and Karen Amman for all their years of service to the club. Congratulations and thanks to Bill and Karen for all their hard work and support of the club!



Corvette News:

\$1.1 Million 1965 Corvette!

This 1965 Corvette coupe which sold at the 2018 Barrett Jackson Scottsdale auction was created by GM as a demonstration exhibit. In addition to the body/interior raising from the chassis the transmission, bell housing and engine all feature cut-aways:

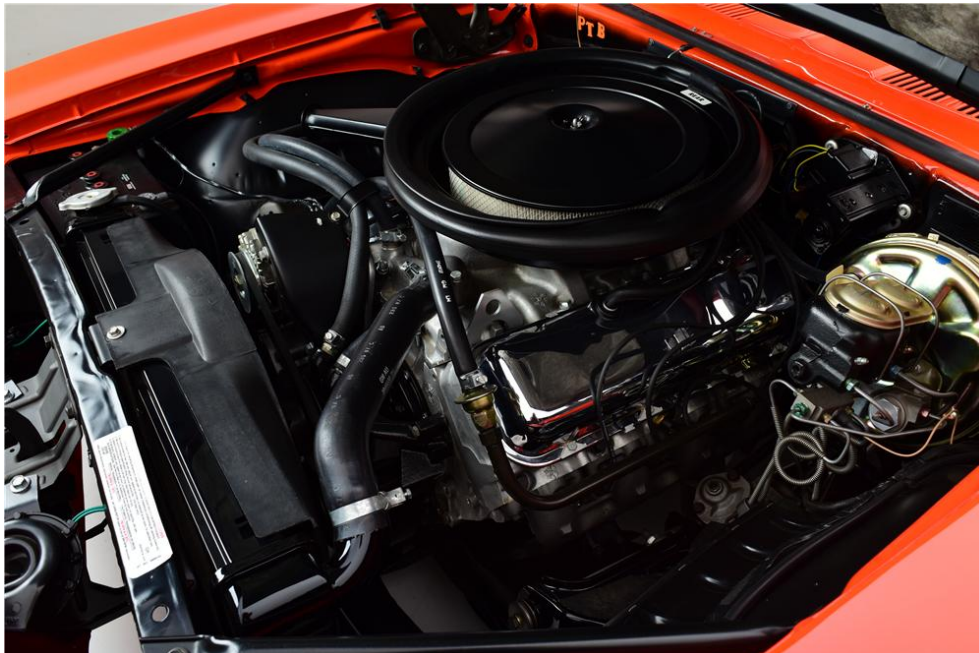


<https://www.barrett-jackson.com/Events/Event/Details/1965-CHEVROLET-CORVETTE-CUTAWAY-COUPÉ-213495>

It's not a Corvette but:

Number 59 of the 69 COPO 9560 high-performance 1969 Camaros built. Finished in Hugger Orange with black interior, this COPO 9560 high-performance Camaro is powered by an all-aluminum 427ci engine with 12.0 compression and open-chamber cylinder heads. It is the only ZL1 ordered with an NC8 chambered exhaust. Extremely rare in a COPO, it features 9560 M22 Rock Crusher 4-speed manual transmission.

It sold for \$770,000 at the Barrett Jackson Scottsdale auctions!



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Corvette Racing:

2018 Rolex 24 hr, Corvettes finish 3rd and 4th!

Despite having the pole position the C7R Corvettes were no match for the speed of the Ford GT's.

At the end of the 24 hour race the Corvettes were 2 and 3 laps behind the 1st and 2nd place Fords.

Watching the in-car videos periodically throughout the race made it apparent that the Corvettes were not able to carry the speed of the competitors (including the Porsche RSR's and Ferrari 488's). They need the mid-engine car to maintain their competitiveness.

The Corvettes seemed to be able to brake later but lost ground quickly on exiting the turns in spite of the larger V8 power compared to the smaller turbo engines.



<http://www.corvetteracing.com/>

Please check <http://www.majesticglass.org/> for more event Information

February 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	Feb 1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
					44th Annual Corvette & High Performance Meet	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
44th Annual Corvette & High Performance Meet	7pm Club Meeting Coconut Kenny's				11:30am Tacoma Corvettes Club Annual Open Ho	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	Mar 1	2	3
	7pm Club Meeting Village Pizza Anacortes, WA					



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