



THE ENLIGHT'NER
March 2019 NEWSLETTER
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Our club sponsor is: Rallye Auto Sales, 1010 Old Highway 99 North Rd, Burlington, WA 98233. (360)757-7770. <https://rallyeauto.com/>

Club Supporters are: Corvette Alley, 1103 – 23rd St., Anacortes, WA 98221. (360) 299-9303 , Village Pizza, 807 Commercial Ave., Anacortes, WA 98221. (360) 293-7847 or 293-8009

2019 CLUB OFFICERS

PRESIDENT----- LINDA GILBERT
 VICE-PRESIDENT----- SANDY RUCH
 SECRETARY----- KRISTIE SWEET
 TREASURER----- DOUG GILBERT

APPOINTED POSITIONS

Activities----- All Members
 Web Master----- Bill Amman
 Statistician----- Bill Ruch
 Car Shows----- Open
 Elections----- Karen Amman
 Newsletter Editor----- John Lucke
 Membership----- Kristie Sweet
 Sergeant at Arms----- Bryan Pierson
 PAO----- Bill Amman

MEETING SCHEDULE:

Tues. Mar. 12, 7:00 Coconut Kenny's, Burlington
Tues. Mar. 26, 7:00 Village Pizza, Anacortes

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE:

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Sun. Mar. 17, 10-3:00 Leprechaun Daze Car Show
 Hardware Sales, Bellingham (360) 380-2733

March Birthdays

5 Betty Carey
 10 Kirk Shoyer
 23 Steve Johnson

March Anniversaries

2 Mark & Bonnie Sundsmo

Minutes:

Minutes of the February 26, 2019 meeting at Village Pizza in Anacortes

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by the president.

Members in attendance were (23):

Bill & Karen Amman, Mona Brown, Nancy Burress, Richard & Betty Carey, Doug & Linda Gilbert, Susan & Jack Harrison, John & Cynthia Lucke, Dale & Patti McAtee, Joanne Olson, Dave Overton, Linda Paul, Bill & Sandy Ruch, Kristie Sweet, Ron & Linda Telles, Mike Yahns.

The new committee was sworn in by Karen Amman.

The minutes were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was given.

Membership (52)

Old Business:

The February 12 meeting was cancelled due to inclement weather.

The new year's brunch at Calico Cupboard was better this year. Sandy got her food! We will most likely go back next year.

The dinner at Bob's Burgers in Burlington was good except for the crowded parking lot and gale storm going on.

New Business:

No sponsorship check from Jerry Smith. They did their best to avoid Linda, so she spoke with Doyle Guffie with Rallye Auto Sales. He has sponsored us! He is very excited about this sponsorship. He's having a banner made that says Rallye Auto sponsor of Majestic Glass Corvette Club. He is working with the Sedro Woolley School District to set up a car show on July 4th after the parade. There will be some great raffle items (such as TVs). There was some discussion about the Eagle's car show in Sedro Woolley the same day. Linda will talk to Doyle about this. She will also check with him to see if he wants to pull the club trailer with one of his company trucks. Doyle will be a good fit for this club.

Our car shows are June 1st and 2nd. We need to make some committees to organize the different jobs that need to get done such as parking, gate, trophies, garbage etc. We will create a list so we all know where we need to be and help with. Linda doesn't have a way to get the golf cart to the show this year. Looking for suggestions, maybe leave at Dave's house.

The Wenatchee Valley Corvette Club's "Best Corvette Show by a Dam Site" is April 27th. We are staying at the Comfort Inn at the Park (509-662-1818) on Friday and Saturday night returning Sunday morning. We will be leaving Petco on Friday, April 26th at 10:00am.

Sandy read thank you notes for our donations from: Skagit Valley Neighbors in Need, Marysville Community Food Bank and Family Promise of Skagit Valley.

More Car Shows:

June 7-9 - Yakima Valley Vettes "Vette-A-Bration" in Yakima. Lots are going, more info to come.

July 14th - Skagit Casino car show. Register on line. There is a link on our website. They will only accept 350 cars. Leave Petco at 7:30am.

August 24th - Wheels on the Waterfront in Everett.

August 31st - Corvettes of Grays Harbor "Corvettes at the Marina" in Westport.

September 21st, Fall Car Showdown at the Skagit County Fairgrounds. Free registration however there is a \$3.00 entrance fee per car and \$3.00 per person.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.

Jokers up won by Susan Harrison.

Next meeting will be March 12, 2019 at Coconut Kenny's in Burlington.

Corvette News:

There Are Currently 9,000 Unsold Chevrolet Corvettes Crowding Dealer Lots!

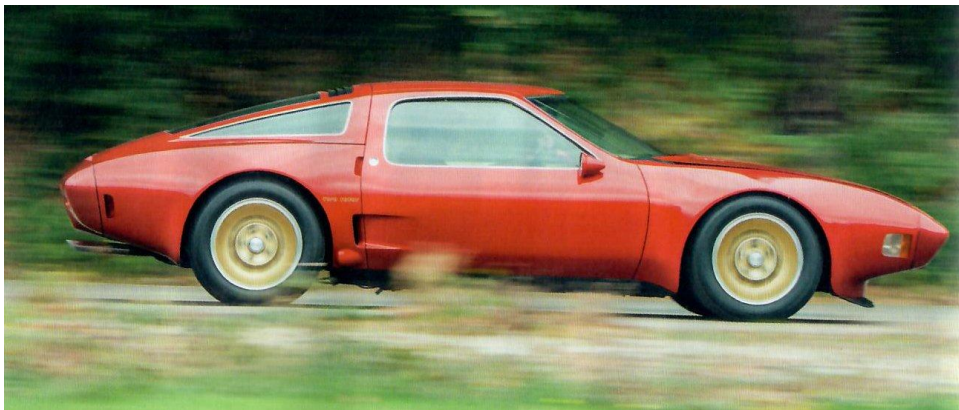
As the upcoming mid-engine Corvette is nearing market availability in the second half of 2019, would-be buyers are sitting on their cash in favor of the new cars, and according to dealer-to-dealer supply data from eInventory, the result is a pile-up of unsold cars from around the country.



<http://thedrive.com/news/26577/there-are-currently-9000-unsold-chevrolet-corvettes-crowding-dealer-lots>

Original Mid-Engine Corvettes:

The 1973 Chevrolet Corvette XP-897 GT concept hinted at a future that might have been – but never was – for America’s sports car. Rescued from the crusher by British Corvette enthusiast and author Tom Falconer, this evolutionary dead end will make a rare North American appearance at the 2019 Amelia Island Concours d’Elegance, taking place on Sunday, March 10, at The Ritz-Carlton on Amelia Island, Florida. (Maybe the C-8 will join it!)



<https://www.hemmings.com/blog/2019/02/05/a-mid-engine-corvette-with-rotary-power-the-1973-xp-897-gt-concept/>

<https://www.topspeed.com/cars/the-9-mid-engine-corvette-concepts-that-didn-t-make-it-to-production-ar183520.html>

GM 2003 display for 50th Anniversary celebration in Nashville:



[A while flock of C-8's \(along with a couple C-7's and a lone Porsche\) caught testing in the snow in Southern CA! \(click to view\)](#)



"The winter got him out of shape. Cleaning his Corvette's windows wore him out."

Some people get pumped up by going to the gym. Now that show season is upon us, Corvette owners get their workouts in the driveway.

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

March 2019

SUN 24	MON 25	TUE 26 ● 7pm Club Meeting Village Pi;	WED 27	THU 28	FRI Mar 1	SAT 2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 ● 7pm Club Meeting Coconut ↑	13	14	15	16
17 ● 10am Leprechaun Daze Car ↓	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 ● 7pm Club Meeting Village Pi;	27	28	29	30
31	Apr 1	2	3	4	5	6



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