Brazos River Corvette Club

July 2017

Newsletter

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2017 Club Officers

President	Terry Varner
Vice President	Ed Pultorak
Secretary	Kim Sheppard
Treasurer	Pam Sharp

2017 Appointments

Cruise Coordinator	Kelly Fulmer
BRCC Charity	Open
Car Show Directors	Jim & Sharon Hill
Charity Raffle	Larry DeYoung
Historian / Newsletter	Jim Hill
Member Care	Pat Waddell
Merchandise	Larry Sharp
National Corvette Museum Ambassador	Guy Mabee
NCCC Governor	Neal Bellamy
Yahoo email Group Manager	Jim Hill
Web Master	Sandy Varner

Membership Meetings

General membership meetings are held the 1st Thursday of each month, exceptions are posted on the web site and members notified via Yahoo mail.

Meetings are held at the Harbor Lakes Golf Club, Granbury TX (See web page for map), meeting begin at 6:00pm for socializing and ordering dinner, club business starts at 7:00pm and usually over before 9:00pm.

Birthdays

Tom Limroth	July 3
Robert Mischel	July 24
Linda Watkins	July 25
Phil Harris	July 28

Anniversarys

Garrett & Pat Waddell	*40th	July 2
Terry & Betty Keck		July 5
Ed & Peggy Pultorak	*51st	July 23

Happy Anniversary!!

Message From The President
Terry Varner

The first half of the year is over and we're going into the busy time of the year. Our trip to Ruidoso is fast approaching. Kelly and Nick have everything arranged, and will bring us an update and packet at the July 6th meeting. We do not have anything scheduled for August & September, so if anyone has any ideas, let myself or Kelly know and we will get it arranged.

The club picnic was held on June 10th in Pecan Plantation. We had around 40 members attend. It was a beautiful day weather wise. Once again Dave and Teresa Batson got the Brisket for the picnic. On behalf of the club I want to extend our thanks. The meat was excellent and I think Teresa's brother did a great job on the meat. It was very good. We had a cornucopia of sides and deserts that were awesome and I tasted most all of them. So much for the diet. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Our car show is a little more than three months away. Preparations are underway. We have two volunteers to coordinate the Silent Auction at the Car Show. Melissa Welborn and Tori Schaneman. They have stepped up to handle this very important part of the car show. When you have any donations for the silent auction, please make arrangements to get the items to these ladies, so they can organize them. Let's get going and come up with some neat items to auction off.

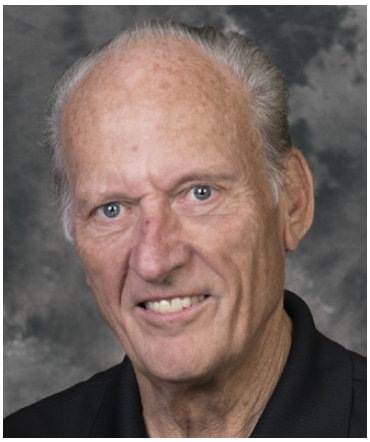
It looks like the meeting meals are getting better. If you have any comments or suggestions for future meals, let me know and I will see if we can get them on the menu. Your dinner RSVP"S are important, and thank you for your response.

Look forward to seeing everyone at the July 6th Meeting.

Have a great fourth of July weekend.

Terry Varner

Message From The Vice President
Ed Pultorak



The Fourth of July is upon us, with fireworks and watermelon. It also marks the start of our 100+ weather -- I'm really looking forward to the Club cruise to Ruidoso, New Mexico, altitude 6729', temperature highs in the 80's during July. What I've heard so far, this should be a great trip. (Is everyone aware that just north of Ruidoso is Capitan, the home of Smokey the Bear?)

We just got back from a trip to DC with our family. We had a great experience visiting all the historical sites and browsing through an endless number of museums. The National Cemetery in Arlington (VA) was a most humbling experience.

Want to remind you again that our car show theme this year is Veterans Appreciation so keep your eyes open for applicable items for the silent auction and/or raffle.

Hope to see you all at the July 6 club meeting. So far, Terry's efforts to get us better meals has had positive results. Hope more of us will RSVP.

Ed Pultorak

June 1st BRCC Minutes

The Brazos River Corvette Club meeting was held on June 1, 2017 at Harbor Lakes Country Club.

John Bratta opened the evening with a prayer. Thanking God for a wonderful country, the club's friendships, and the meal served.

President Terry Varner called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM and welcomed everyone present.

Larry DeYoung led the members in The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Terry introduced and welcomed the guests and new members Marchetta and Jimmy Jordan own a 2013 Grand Sport Corvette.

Reports:

The May minutes by Kim Sheppard are posted on the web site one week after the meeting. The web site has useful information. Bob Brandies made the motion to accept the May minutes, it was seconded by Ed Pultorak. None were opposed. All present were in favor and approved the minutes.

Treasurer Pam Sharp was not present. Sandy Varner read the bank balance of the club. Chip Mull made the motion to accept the May's Treasures report and Teresa Baston seconded it. All present unanimously approved the Treasures report. No members opposed.

Committee Reports:

Events/Cruise
Kelly Fulmer informed the group on June 2, 3, and 4 a Vintage Car Race is at the Motor Sport Ranch. It will benefit Race Against Kids Cancer. There will be a Race car Parade and show at the Granbury Square at 5:00 PM on June 2nd. On June 10th a picnic at the Pecan Plantation RV park is being planned by Sandy and Terry Varner. It is from 11:00 – 4:00 PM. The meat will be furnished by the club and the members will bring a dish to share and what they want to drink.

Newsletter/Car show/,Yahoo Group Manager/Photographer/Historian
Jim Hill handed out the car show posters for the 12th Annual Corvette Show. They will go out by email.

John Bratta came forward to speak about the July 4th parade in Granbury. John requested you sign up by email on June 1st by 5:00 PM. Only the first seven cars/owners that sign up can participate. Terry has some car decorations available to use.

Let Terry Varner know by tonight if you are interested in attending the Motor Sports Ranch Show on June 2nd.

Chip Mull came forward and spoke about receiving fifty Vietnam Veterans Corvette Patches. He gave one to Larry DeYoung and one to Jim Hill. He has one for Earl Harris. Chip will also receive 100 Lapel pins to hand out.

Monthly Meeting Minutes Continued

Member Care:
Pat Waddell not present. Terry will check up on her.

NCCC Governor:
Neal Bellamy not present.

Webmaster:
Sandy Varner had nothing new to report.

National Corvette Museum:
Guy Mabee had nothing new to report.

Club Merchandise:
Larry Sharp not present. Terry informed the members that there is a price increase for our club shirts. The old business now has a new owner. She is interested in keeping our business, but can not offer us Nike shirts. She is looking for another supplier for our shirts. Larry and Terry will meet with her and pick out a less expensive brand for our club shirt.

Old Business:
Nothing new to report.

New Business:
A volunteer is still needed to organize the silent auction at the car show. Melissa Welborn and Tori Schaneman have offered to organize it. Terry will make sure they have plenty of help.

Open Discussion:
Meet at 9:30 AM at Starbucks on June 1st to go to the track.

Charity Raffle:
Larry DeYoung sold 50/50 tickets and Jim Watkins won.

Terry thanked everyone for attending.

Adjourn:
Ed Pultorak made the motion to close the meeting and Chip Mull seconded it.
The meeting was adjourned at 7:33 PM by President Terry Varner .

Respectfully submitted,
Kimberly Sheppard

UPCOMING EVENTS

BRCC 2016 Calendar

The primary interest in our club is centered on activities. Our best months are those with two cruises. We need each of you to organize and lead an activity. You will get all the help you need to contribute to our club success.
Please contact our Activity Director Kelly Fulmer 817-296-7554 to plan an event.

February 8	**Bond Firearms Tour**	Nick Griffin
February 18	**Lunch cruise to Weatherford Tx**	Debbye Fulmer & Pam Click
March 25	**Railhead Smokehouse, Willow Park Tx**	Terry & Sandy Varner
April 8	**Possum Kingdom Lake Lunch Cruise**	John & Betty Boyd
April 23	**Lost Oak Winery Corvette Car Show**	Neal & Jane Bellamy
May 5-7	**Road Trip to Kerrville Tx**	Dave & Teresa Batson
June 2-4	**Vintage Race Cars At Motor Sports Ranch**	
June 10	**BRCC Annual Picnic, Pecan Plantation**	Terry & Sandy Varner
July	**4th of July Parade**	John Bratta 817-573-2272
July 16-20	**Ruidoso, NM**	Nick has blocked rooms at Inn of the Mountain Gods for BRCC members. The rate he obtained is an amazing $109.00 per night. If you are interested in participating you need to call 575-464-7777, and 575-464-7012 and make a reservations. The rooms are blocked under Brazor River Corvette Club (or Brazos Corvette Club). There is lots to do and see in that area, from Zip Lining, golf, sightseeing, shopping, and day cruises to historical and/or interesting places around the area. Please let Nick or Kelly know if you are booked.
August		
September		
Oct 14	**12th Annual BRCC Car Show**	Jim and Sharon Hill 817-279-0959
Oct 21	**Cowtown Corvette Show**	Jim and Sharon Hill 817-279-0959
Nov	**Veterans Day Parade**	John & Peggi Bratta 817-573-2272
Dec 7	**Christmas Party**	BRCC
Dec ?	**Christmas Toys for Tots Car Show**	

NEW TIRES IN YOUR FUTURE?

Corvette C6 TPMS Reset

Your C6 Corvette's TPMS system is easy to reset. Most tire shops will reset your sensors for free for you (although it helps to know this procedure to help them out). I autocross whenever I can, so I swap my tires a couple of times a month. I've used this particular TPMS reset tool for several years now (although I know there are others on the market, this has worked flawlessly for many years now).

The TPMS tool from the video can be found here: Kent-Moore EL-50448 Tire Pressure Monitor Sensor Activation Tool

The sensors: ACDelco 20925924 GM Original Equipment Green Tire Pressure Sensor with Cap, Grommet, and Valve Kit

The nut that you need: ACDelco 15234846 GM Original Equipment Tire Pressure Indicator Sensor Nut

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WEEK KEY FOB?

Corvette C6 Key Fob Battery Replacement

If you're getting NO FOBS DETECTED warning, it might be time to change your key fob's battery. Its easy to do, and the batteries are cheap.

You can get these batteries from Amazon:
Energizer Battery

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BRCC 2017 Annual Picnic

June 10, 2017 Pecan Plantation

BRCC MEMBER'S CAR FOR SALE

ULTRA CLEAN *C5 CAR SHOW WINNER*

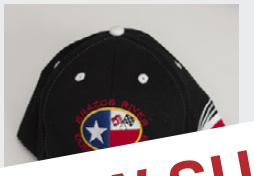
2004 Corvette with 87,800 miles.
Automatic, Spiral grey with light grey interior.
$17,750

Larry DeYoung
817-573-7395 or lbdey@yahoo.com

BRCC Logo Merchandise

Larry Sharp has lots of great merchandise for sale with the BRCC logo on them. Here is a sampling of most of our items. *We are open to additional item upon request.*

Larry Sharp
Merchandise
817-475-9692
LarySharp2004@gmail.com



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Solid Color sandwich bill caps .....$ 12.00

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Me... Black, Charcoal Grey, Navy Blue
Med Blue, Forest Green Maroon
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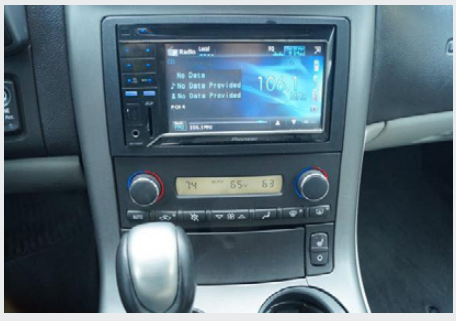

Next Club Meeting July 6th