



MYRTLE BEACH



CORVETTE CLUB

Vette  
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## Presidents Corner by Bob Dyke



WOW, WHAT A YEAR!!

Although the past year was not Corvette Club friendly, the MBCC participated in meetings and events and accomplished more than most clubs on the East Coast in a safe environment. Many members are missed and hope to once again enjoy your company in the near future.

After a years delay due to Covid and an extra day due to severe weather, members of the MBCC and Jacksonville, Fl. Corvette Club met for lunch at Lulu's restaurant, Barefoot Landing. An enjoyable time was had by all discussing events of both Clubs and also inspecting a couple of new C8's that made the trip. Looking forward to joint events in the future.

Hopefully with more of our members obtaining the vaccines, we will be able to safely gather to enjoy events that are being planned for the year. Due to the cancellation of our June Car Show, we are trying different events to raise money for our charities. Our first sponsored Cruise-In will be Saturday April 17 at Harleys Sports Bar and Grille 2551 US 17 S Little River, SC. Noon-3PM. Your participation will help us to raise funds.


**PLEASE NOTE: Not Harleys Roadhouse on Rt 9**

Also on April 25 we have our Dave and Norma Mystery Cruise. The signup sheet at our monthly meeting indicates great enthusiasm for this event. This will also be an event to raise money for our charities, so looking for your participation. Staying with the raising charitable funds theme, I have available 50/30/10/10 raffle tickets. \$10.00 donation per ticket. Need not be present to win, drawn at our October 10th Monthly Meeting. For those unable to attend our meetings, please send a check to MBCC and I will enter you in the raffle and send you a ticket. Please support our charities.

Plans are moving forward for our trip to Bowling Green, Ky September 22-26. In less than two weeks 13 of 30 rooms have been reserved in Kodak, TN. In Bowling Green, 17 of 30 rooms have been reserved. If interested please reserve your rooms sooner, rather than later. I can then block out more rooms if needed.

LETS MAKE 2021 A FANTASTIC YEAR

Bob

Find us on 

## Michael Grabarz - VP

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Please remember this month's meeting (April) will be on the 11<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm at the Legends Golf Course Restaurant, 1500 Legends Road, Myrtle Beach, SC. IF YOU PLAN ON ATTENDING PLEASE EMAIL ME AT [mjg330@gmail.com](mailto:mjg330@gmail.com) by April 9<sup>th</sup>.

Remember we are still practicing safe distancing and face masks until you get to your table.

Thank you  
Mike Grabarz  
VP MBCC

## Editor's Notes - Reese Helms

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Another month gone and well it was quick.

With April comes warm weather and moooooore car fun.

I am excited to get out this year and do some great things.

This month we formally introduce our new Director At Large Joseph Worts.

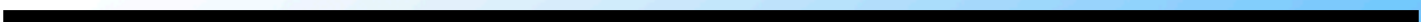
Also in the membership area you will see pictures of new members from the February meeting. I left these fine folks out by mistake and so they are included this month along with our new members from the March meeting.

Look forward to seeing everyone at Harley's in Little River on the 17th.

**ALL SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE BY THE 28th of the month.**

**Please submit articles and/or pictures to:**

**[vettegazette.mbcc@gmail.com](mailto:vettegazette.mbcc@gmail.com)**





## Membership - Donna Mendez

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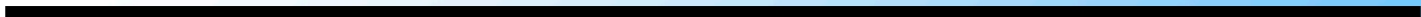


Hello Everybody!

At our last meeting we welcomed 2 new families, Santo & Jeanine Fiorello and Larry & Shelley Hamon. Let's continue to make all our new members feel welcome! We have a wonderful club but participation is the key. Let's all come out this spring with the world opening up again, and be active members of our amazing club.

Our current club membership is 256 with 115 families, 22 single, 4 social and 7 honorary members. Let's continue to grow and participate.

Your board welcomes suggestions for activities, fundraising and events. Your ideas are priceless so put on those thinking caps and let's make our club even better!



## Membership Continued - Donna Mendez

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*REMEMBER:* New members receive their name tags and welcome packet at the monthly meeting after they join. Any new members who have not yet attended an orientation and therefore have not received their packets and name tags, please let me know if you will be attending the February meeting. If not, I can make arrangements to get them to you.

If any members have lost their name tags or have new cars that they would like listed on new tags, they can be ordered for \$10; just let me know. I have MBCC cling-ons for sale for your car that are made of static plastic and will not cause any damage to the car. For optimal stick, dampen them before you adhere them to car. The cost for these is \$22 for 2. I also have car decals (\$3.00) for purchase at all meetings.

If you attend a club event where members will caravan, please bring a two-way radio so you can communicate with others. The radios are always tuned to channel 8.

If there are any changes to your address, phone number or e-mail, please let me know. I would hate to have you miss a notification of upcoming fun events or cancellations because we do not have your updated contact information. I can be reached at 732-604-1848 or at [dmendez2@comcast.net](mailto:dmendez2@comcast.net). Please feel free to contact me with any questions, changes or concerns.

Happy Spring!

## Membership Continued - Donna Mendez



New Members from February:





## Membership Continued - Donna Mendez



### New Members from March:



## Car Show Director - Richard Miller



Dear Members,

As you all are aware by now, the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Corvettes Show scheduled for June has been cancelled. This is another major set-back for our charities. The committee is currently looking at other options to raise money.

At the present time, we are planning to conduct charity cruise-ins, the first of which will be held on Saturday, April 17, 2021, from Noon to 3pm at Harley's Bar & Grill in Little River. This cruise-in will be open to all cars/bikes. There will be a \$10.00 donation, music, 50-50 raffle, awards, and food and refreshments will be available.

We are in discussions with Broadway at the Beach about conducting a Labor Day Weekend Parade around their property similar to their Christmas Parade. More information will be made available as the event comes together. If anyone has any fund-raising ideas, feel free to contact me.

Stay Safe!

Save the Wave

Richard Miller



## NCM Ambassador - Ron Kocheran



Hello MBCC members. Here's the current group of Vettes on raffle at the NCM. You gotta be in it to win it. The April 1, 2021 winner was from Myrtle Beach!  
Get the Vettes out and happy driving!  
Below are our currently active raffles.

**2021 Build Your Own Corvette or \$65,000** Price: **\$250.00** Tickets: 1500  
Available: 1105 Drawing: April 23, 2021 3:00 PM Central Time



**2021 Arctic White Corvette Coupe 4/24/2021** Price: **\$20.00** Unlimited Raffle Drawing: **April 24, 2021 3:00 PM Central Time**



**2021 Red Mist Corvette Coupe 5/20/2021** Price: **\$100.00** Tickets: 2000 Available: 1827  
Drawing: May 20, 2021 2:00 PM Central Time





# CORVETTE RAFFLE

The National Corvette Museum conducts a series of raffles each year as a way to raise funding for the day to day operations of the Museum. The raffle fundraisers are a tremendous help to the Museum and a large part of our planning and daily operation funds.

All raffle winners will also enjoy the benefits and excitement of taking delivery of their new Corvette at the Museum as part of the “R8C Museum Delivery” experience. A VIP tour of the Museum and Corvette Assembly Plant (if available), one-year individual membership to the Museum, hands-on training/instruction by a NCM delivery team member, program decal and a wall plaque are all part of the Museum delivery experience that is available exclusively through the Museum. R8C deliveries are viewed world-wide via the Museum’s webcams.

Winner/Purchaser must be 18 years old with a valid driver’s license.

Licensed by the Kentucky Department of Charitable Gaming – License Number ORG0000854

## Email Updates

Sign up to receive emails from the National Corvette Museum! Our weekly eNews provides information not only on upcoming raffles and raffle winners, but also other happenings in the Corvette world! Our separate Raffle list gives ticket updates when we are having a raffle.

## Watch Our Drawings LIVE!

You can watch our raffle drawings live on the [Museum webcams](#), or on our [Facebook page](#). The webcam varies by drawing but is typically on one of the delivery cameras. No sound is available on our webcams. On Facebook, the drawing's live stream will pop up on the page approximately 1 minute or less before the drawing.

## Notice

Due to postal regulations, raffle ticket stubs cannot be returned by mail for purchases over the Internet, through the mail or by telephone. When an order is placed, the system will complete the ticket by filling in the name, address, and phone number, and we will drop the ticket in the barrel at the National Corvette Museum. At the drawing, the winner will be contacted based on the name and information on the ticket. To pick up the vehicle, two forms of identification, one of which must be a photo ID, will be required to prove that this person is the person on the winning ticket. Purchasers buying via the website will receive an email providing their raffle ticket numbers and can also log in to their account to obtain their ticket numbers if desired. NCM is not responsible for undelivered, lost or rejected emails. Winner need not be present to win.





I have been Charity Liaison for the past 7 years and feel it is time for me to turn this position over to another member. Being Charity Liaison is probably one of the most rewarding jobs in the club. The position entails researching and visiting the charities that our membership brings forth for consideration. This position is important to ensure the charities qualify per our by-laws as the charity/charities that are presented and voted on by the membership will be receiving all the donation monies our club generates during the year. Please contact me at [bettyfreedman04@gmail.com](mailto:bettyfreedman04@gmail.com) or 843-347-2019 if you will volunteer for this position or with any questions you would have.

## Member Spotlight

### David and Gloria Gaskin

2017 Corvette Convertible

Purchased new in Reading, Pa, October 2017

Currently has 10,200 miles. They have owned prior Corvettes but love their current 2017 Convertible.

After relocating from Lebanon, Pa to Conway, SC in 2020, Dave and Gloria joined the MBCC.





## Dave's Corvette Question Corner - Dave Sandifer



### *Dave's Corvette Trivia*

**April 1, 2021**

1. RPO# 83U was an optional charge for Atomic Orange exterior paint color. What was the cost for this option?
  - a. 175.00
  - b. 200.00
  - c. 250.00
  - d. 300.00
  
2. What was the first year factory installed seat belts were installed?
  - a. 1956
  - b. 1958
  - c. 1960
  - d. 1961
  
3. How many 1955 Corvettes were built?
  - a. 300
  - b. 3,640
  - c. 700
  - d. 3,467
  
4. Dual 4 barrel carburetors were available on Corvettes for the first time in this year.
  - a. 1956
  - b. 1957
  - c. 1960
  - d. 1962
  
5. What was the last year that Corvettes were built in St. Louis?
  - a. 1979
  - b. 1980
  - c. 1981
  - d. 1982

**Answers are found at the end of the classifieds**

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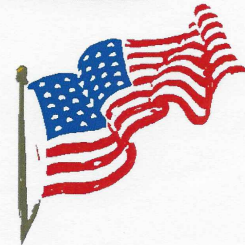
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**APRIL 17, 2021**  
**NOON - 3PM**

Veterans' Welcome Home  
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Upcoming Car Show - Ric Puccio



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# Calendar of Events



MBCC Events

Apr 2021 (Eastern Time - New York)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7 5pm - Milardo's	8 9am - Plantation	9	10
11 5pm - MBCC	12	13	14	15	16	17 12pm - MBCC
18	19	20 5pm - Papa's Pizza	21	22 5pm - Doesn't	23	24
25 9:45am - Mystery	26	27	28	29	30	1

[Website Calendar Link](#)



## Upcoming Club Events

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### APRIL

MILARDO'S CRUISE-IN (4/7).....PLANTATION CRUISE-IN (4/8).....MBCC  
MONTHLY MEETING (4/11).....BASH AT THE BEACH-SHALLOTTE (4/17)-  
CANCELLED...RIC PUCCIO.....MBCC CRUISE-IN (4/17).....PAPA'S CRUISE-  
IN (4/20).....DOESN'T MATTER CRUISE-IN (4/22).....MYSTERY CRUISE  
(4/25).....DAVE AND NORMA

### MAY

MILARDO'S CRUISE-IN (5/5).....PLANTATION PANCAKE CRUISE-IN  
(5/13).....MBCC MONTHLY MEETING (5/16).....PAPA'S CRUISE-IN  
(5/18).....NORFOLK WATERSIDE CORVETTE DISPLAY (5/21-  
22).....DOESN'T MATTER CRUISE-IN (5/27).....MILITARY  
APPRECIATION PARADE (5/29)

### JUNE

MILARDO'S CRUISE-IN (6/2).....CORVETTES at MYRTLE BEACH (6/5)-  
RICHARD AND PATRICIA MILLER..(CANCELED).....PLANTATION  
PANCAKE CRUISE-IN (6/10).....AFTER SHOW PARTY (TBD).....PAPA'S  
CRUISE-IN (6/15).....DOESN'T MATTER CRUISE-IN (6/24)



## Upcoming Club Events



### Spring Mystery Cruze

Sunday, April 25, 2021

Starting Location: 111 Pavillion Drive, Little River, SC

Drivers Meeting: 9:45 AM / Pull Out at 10:00 AM

Cost to have fun - \$ 20.00/car for our Charities

What You Will Miss? DRIVING, FUN, FOOD

Estimated completion time: 2:00 - 3:00 PM

*Check your gas, check your tire pressure, check your pulse*

For Questions - Call David Sandifer 301-370-0664



## Past Club Events - Sandy Sparks

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I would like to thank everyone who attended the lunch with the Jacksonville Corvette Club at Lulu's this past Sunday. I appreciate you showing your club support by coming out for this event.

The Jacksonville group was fantastic - very fun and very friendly. They enjoyed themselves so much, they will be coming back.

Sandy Sparks  
Activities Director



## Birthdays and Anniversaries

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### *Happy Birthday to:*

Carol Hogan	2	Vincent Masi	12
Dan Buckley	4	Sandra Sparks	12
Teresa Lagravenis	4	Della Goettl	14
Frank Morea	5	Rob Spino	19
Dianne Talento	5	Marla Jones	20
Philip Talento	5	Phyllis Lemkau-Mueller	21
Scot Boyter	6	Peter Mack	21
Bill McGarry	6	Jane Schwartzman	25
Tony Viscomi	6	Michael Wheeler	27
Denise Pelletier	11	Steven Abrams	28

### *Happy Anniversary to:*

Robert & Mary Ann Jagger	1	Gary & Maggie Hood	15
Charlie & Angela Torregrossa	3	Pete & Carol Hogan	20
Fred & Diane Sansbury	10	Jeffrey & Patsy Smith	23
Frank & Kathleen Daum	11	David & Lori Lacey	26
Melvin & Pamela Baker	15		



## Classifieds

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Year: 2016  
Make: Chevrolet  
Model: Corvette  
Trim: Stingray Z51  
Exterior: Red  
Interior: Jet Black  
Stock Num: P7976A  
Vin: 1G1YK2D77G5109402

Mileage: 16365  
Transmission: Automatic  
Notes: Nav, Heated Seats, Dual  
Temp, Reverse Cam, Rear Spoiler,  
Z51

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# Classifieds

Year: 2019  
Make: Chevrolet  
Model: Corvette  
Trim: Stingray  
Exterior: Black  
Interior: Red/Black  
Stock Num: P8083  
Vin: 1G1YD2D78K5112537

Mileage: 3811  
Transmission: Automatic  
Notes: Dual Temp, Reverse Cam, Heated and Cooled Seats, Bluetooth

Price: \$59,995

Call: 843-448-3105





# Classifieds

2019 Convertible Grand Sport Corvette custom ordered with 2 LT package, black with red stripe convertible, currently has approximately 1250 miles. The car is in the Carolina Forest area and we are asking \$62,900. If interested, please contact Sharon Wright at [sw3247@sccoast.net](mailto:sw3247@sccoast.net).



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<b>TOTAL OPTIONS</b>	<b>\$11,410.00</b>
<b>TOTAL VEHICLE &amp; OPTIONS</b>	<b>\$81,810.00</b>
DESTINATION CHARGE	1,095.00
<b>TOTAL VEHICLE PRICE*</b>	<b>\$82,905.00</b>





**Answers: 1 – d, 2 – b, 3 – c, 4 – a, 5 – b**

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