

Legends Ledger

March 2020



March Meeting

11 am, March 14

**Richardson
Spring Creek BBQ**

**270 N Central Expy/US 75, Richardson,
(972) 669-0505**

(South of George Bush Turnpike)

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Kevin Shedden's
1971 Red Convertible
in the Legends club display
at the 2020 Autorama

2020

Upcoming Events



*CLoT Club Participation Event

- Mar 7 Model Car Contest** Star Center Farmers Branch, TX
If you enjoyed Len Woodruff's model car presentation at the July meeting, you'll love seeing all the models at the 30th Annual Model Car Contest 10 am-3 pm, Children's Health Star Center, 12700 N Stemmons Fwy, Farmers Branch, TX. Over 200 model cars from modelers all over the southwest will attend. Free entry to visitors. Len Woodruff 972-979-5722.
- Mar 13-15 Good-Guys** Texas Motor Speedway Ft. Worth, TX
- *Mar 14 Legends Club Meeting** Spring Creek BBQ, Richardson 11:00 AM
- Mar 14-15 Corvette Chevy Expo** corvette-magazine.com Galveston, TX
- Mar 18-22 New Car Show** Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center Dallas, TX
Legends is not having a club Display this year! Show hours: Wed: 4-9 pm, Thur-Sat: 10am-9pm, Sun: 10am-7pm. Tickets: \$15 adults, \$8 senior citizens, \$8 children 6-12 years old; \$10 active & retired military, children under 5 free.
- Mar 20-22 Corvette Kickoff Classic** swocc2020.eventbrite.com Lawton, OK
- *Mar 28 Dinner Cruise** BENDT Distilling Co. Lewisville, TX
4th Annual Crawfish Boil, BENDT Distilling Co., 225 S Charles St, Lewisville, TX
11:30 am. More info below. Sign up at the March meeting or Contact Mary Jean Entrekin (972) 874-0310
- Apr 4 The Heights Baptist Church Car Show** Richardson, TX
- *Apr 11 Legends Club Meeting** LaHacienda Ranch, Carrollton 11:00 AM
- Apr 16-18 Central AR Corvette Weekend** Hot Springs, AR
On-line registration begins Jan. 2, 2020
- Apr 18 SACC Tour to John Neas' Vette Collection** Tulsa, OK
Solid Axle Club invites you to join us in Tulsa for a tour of this amazing private collection of historic early Corvette race cars and historic Top Fuel Dragsters plus many other cars. We will meet at Schlotzky's, 2343 E. 71st St., Tulsa, OK for lunch at noon and go to John's at 1:30pm. If you want to stay overnight, we suggest the DoubleTree, 6110 S. Yale, Tulsa (918) 496-1000. Call Bill or Diane Preston.
- *Apr 30-May 2 Pate Automotive Swap Meet** TMS Ft Worth, TX
Sign up with Bill Preston (405) 412-0502 for a shift to work the Patriot Paws booth to promote this charity and collect donations from swap meet visitors near the main entrance.
- *May 9 Legends Club Meeting** BJ's Brewhouse, Addison 11:00 AM
- May 9 Crusin' for a Cause** Stonebriar Methodist Church Ft Worth, TX
8am-Noon, Free Registration, All Years, Makes & Models, Awards, Door Prizes, Silent Auction, on-Site Concessions. All benefitting CASA of Collin County.
- May 22-24 Lone Star Corvette Classic** TMS Ft Worth, TX
- *June 13 Legends Club Meeting** 11:00 AM
- June 13 NCCO All-Corvette Show** Embassy Suites Norman, OK
- July 17-19 Corvette Invasion** Bastrop, TX
- July 19-23 NCRS National Convention** French Lick, IN

Legends Dinner Cruise

Saturday. March 28

BENDT Distilling Co.

4th Annual Crawfish Boil

Meet at 11:30 at:

225 S. Charles St, Lewisville, TX

Sign up sheet at the March meeting.

Buy your Crawfish Boil by the Pound while it lasts.

Starting at \$12 / lb (sides available)

Contact Mary Jean Entrekin (972) 874-0310.



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New Members



Terry & Debra Sealock
Lucas, TX
08 Red Convertible

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Birthdays for March

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| 03-02 Kathy Hanks | 03-16 Tim Wardlaw |
| 03-03 Michael Ludtka | 03-17 Mike McCall |
| 03-08 Glenn Burgess | 03-20 Diana Kingston |
| 03-09 Peggy Rasco | 03-23 Cathy Hubbert |
| 03-15 Terry Sealock | 03-25 Fay Jarrett |
| 03-15 Walter Adams | |

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Legends Ledger Newsletter: Published monthly. Send submissions to VetteLegends65@earthlink.net
Submission deadline is the 15th of the month.

Club Web Site:

Coordinated by Denise Iverson
<http://www.vettelegends.com>
Send submissions to Denise at:
Communications@VetteLegends.com

Membership Information:

Coordinated by Len Woodruff (see above)
\$35 for annual membership
Dues are paid annually at a meeting or mailed to:

Club Mailing Address:
Corvette Legends of Texas
P.O. Box 260316
Plano, TX 75026-0316

Meeting Speakers:

If you have a recommendation for a guest speaker to address the club at one of our meetings, please contact Joel Joseph (972) 727-6833.



'58 FI Chassis

This is an original fuel injection 1958 Corvette rolling chassis. It comes with wheels, tires, motor, and transmission. There are multiple NCRS parts available on this chassis. Shipping is buyers responsibility. The Transmission, Steering, and rear end are original matching numbers parts. \$8,500.00 obo There are other parts for sale, Feel free to inquire. Located in **Frisco, Texas**
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First Saturday of every Month

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LONE STAR CORVETTE CLASSIC
May 22-24, 2020



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SCHEDULE

FRIDAY – MAY 22nd: Autocross, SKILLS Driving seminars required for Sunday Track Day. Seminar also Sun. morning, but space is limited.
Registration & Silent Auction
5:15 pm Oval Track Lap, Fun Run on the roads of TMS 1st prize-new 32-inch TV!! (Must be present to win.)
Picnic Style Dinner located in the Cup garage, **50/50 Pot**
SATURDAY – MAY 23rd: Judged & Show 'N Shine Car Shows by class, separate for LSCC Members and Non-Members. Awards for Top 3 in each Class. Judging by experienced LSCC Club members looking primarily for cleanliness (it is not NCRS level judging). Best of Show for a Member and Non-Member, Judges' Choice Award and several specialty awards.
Vendors, Food Trucks, 50/50 pot at 2:30 pm (Must be present to win.) benefits Lone Star Corvette Classic 2020 charities.
Silent Auction reopens 3-6 pm (results at 9pm)
Happy Hour, Dinner, Live Auction, Awards, Cash Bar.
SUNDAY – MAY 24th: TRACK DAY
Oval Track laps, Road Course (you must have attended one of the Road Course Seminars. Sunday Seminar Media Center in the infield. Space is very limited please attend seminars on Friday if possible! NOTE: Helmets required for Road Course. Bring your own.

Weekday **WRENCH**



Len Woodruff's '78 Silver Anniversary Coupe Jan. 29, 2020

We got together at Len's house to change the forward wiring harness. This harness connects at the firewall and includes the alternator, temperature sensor



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and all of the front end lights.

To get this started Len's wife, Beth, made Monkey Bread with a brown sugar cinnamon apple walnut sauce. For Lunch Beth made Italian Meatballs with Marinara Sauce on Garlic Buttered Hoagie Rolls. As you can see, the food was the most important part.

Attendees were Ken Dobbs, Jerry Echols, Jim Pagan, Sam Deneault and Len Woodruff.

We removed the hood for easy access. Then we pulled the old wiring harness out to make sure we could get the new one through the radiator support. Once that was done we fed the new harness through and made the connections. It wasn't too hard and took about 3.5 hours total.



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Legends at Autorama



Photos by Len Woodruff, Kevin Shedden, Diane Preston, Gary Williams, & Denise Iverson

Gary Williams, Len Woodruff, Joe Koester, John Cantleberry, Kevin Shedden and JoAnn & Lee Brumit at the show. Jerry Echols made all the arrangements for the display, recruited the display cars and did most of the work...



Bill Preston, Jerry Echols and Gary Williams take advantage of FREE pop corn given away by Turn Key Hot Rods.



John Cantleberry's 1971 Blue Coupe



Len Woodruff's 1978 Silver Anniversary Coupe



A bird's-eye view of the Legends' display before the show opened



Gary Williams' 1972 Green Convertible won 1st in Domestic Sports 1970-72

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Kevin Shedden's 1971 Red Convertible



Lee & JoAnn Brumit's Rare 1978 Pace Car.

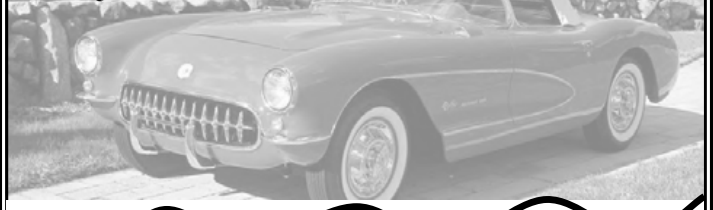


Joe Koester's Black 1982 Coupe



Len Woodruff with his 1978 Silver Anniversary Coupe which won 1st in Domestic Sports 1973-82

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What's UP WITH OUR Members



Using Al Lisbona's Quick Jack Lifts, he and Tom Entrekin replaced the Hydraulic Fluid in Tom's 2006 Coupe.



Legends member, Mark Sunderland, encourages people to keep a good fire extinguisher in their car. Apparently there was a carburetor problem, which caused a fire in the engine compartment of his 1967 Green Coupe.

"I was able to put it out in about 20 seconds, because I had an extinguisher in my car. Obviously there is still some damage, but none of the painted surfaces or fiberglass were hurt.

I did take a picture of my engine bay with sodium bicarbonate (baking soda) all over it. We can use it as the "before" picture and take an "after" picture when Corvette Corner fixes it. Rich can't even start fixing it until the beginning of March, because his garage is full of cars. But I trust he'll do a good job.

It was a last minute plan to attend this charity car show at Nebraska Furniture Mart parking lot. Cindy Dumas, Dan & Brenda Jacobs and their daughter, Tom Entrekin, Al & Mary Anne Lisbona, Mary Davis and Donna Wadley attended from our club. After the show we went to La Cantina Restaurant for a buffet and award ceremony. Mary's 1959 Corvette won best Corvette and Best Corvette convertible.



82 Corvette Parts Cheap

I have a few 1982 Corvette Parts, Back Window w/ Trim, Shade, Fan Shroud, Speedo and Tach Cluster, Air Cleaner Housing and a few other items and also the sale floor display board. If you know of anyone who might be interested in them, you can text me (Preferred) at 214-886-1953 or email me at jcjmariani@yahoo.com. P.S. Real Cheap. John Mariani

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offers Legends Members a 10% Discount on purchases of Accessories, Clothing, Parts, Service, etc.

Not Corvettes!

Stolen Vette Recovered After 45 Years



CAMBY, Ind.
March 29, 2019



It was 1974 when Rex and Kay Hatton were enjoying being newlyweds. The couple quickly learned that life wouldn't be easy after someone stole Rex's 1969 Corvette. They filed police reports, tried looking for it themselves and then finally settled with their insurance. Rex was 22 years old and figured he would never see his “dream car” again.

Fast forward 44 years to October of 2018. A call came in from the Ohio State Police. They were looking for Rex Hatton about the Corvette he had reported missing. It turned out his “dream car” turned up in Cleveland.

After some back and forth with insurance and having to find proof all these years later that the car was his, he got it back.

“It feels like I am a young kid again. For five minutes till I start getting out of the car, then I won't be young anymore,” Rex said as he sat behind the steering wheel.

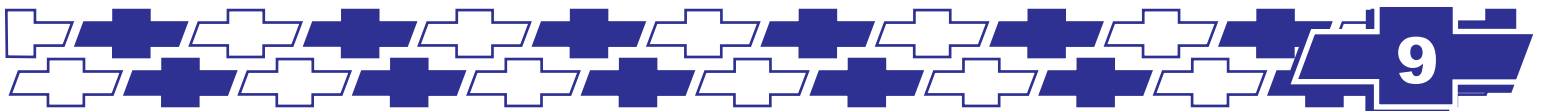
His bride never even got a chance to drive the car before it was stolen.

“I always said he had that done on purpose to keep me from driving it,” said Kay.

The black color of the Corvette had been painted midnight blue and the seats were worn. It will need some work but Rex and Kay are planning to put in the time.

“It will be a slow process, because we don't have a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow, but if we find one we will do it in parts,” said Kay.

But they are not complaining. They just hope to get the car running again in time for their 50th wedding anniversary in 2024.





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MARCH 20-22, 2020

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2019 Grand Champion
Darren & Tami Heavner
Owners

Event Registration Opens
January 1, 2020
<https://swocc2020.eventbrite.com>

FRIDAY - Poker Run! Welcome Party Free Show! Corvette Light Show! Easton Corbin Concert!
SATURDAY - "The Big Show!" Vendors! Gaming Seminar! Silent Auction! Awards Banquet!
SUNDAY - Holy City Sunday Service! "Corvettes in the Park" in Historic Medicine Park!



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February Meeting

Dennis Conte leaves the meeting in his Jewel Blue and White 1961



Bill Tichy's 2016 Monterey Red Coupe and Jerry Echols' 1966 Maroon Convertible.

CORVETTE LEGENDS OF TEXAS GENERAL MEETING

February 8, 2020, Blue Mesa Grill, Plano

The Members of Corvette Legends were called to order by president, Sam Deneault at 12:30 pm. The After-Holiday Party in January replaced the usual monthly meeting, so no previous minutes were published for approval.

President Deneault recognized several members for their contribution during 2019: Sharon Conde (Lady Legends); Mary Jean Entrekin (Dinner Cruises); Pat Cople (Secretary).

Lady Legends Winner: Denise Iverson

50/50 Pot Winner: Al Lisbona (\$62)

Diane Preston reported that this month's Newsletter was shorter than usual; the new 2020 Member Directory has been published and copies are available for those who did not get one at the After Holiday Party. Diane also mentioned several upcoming events that might be of interest to members: APEX Education and Technical session on Ceramic Pro coatings on February 15 in Addison; Tour of John Neas' Corvette collection on April 18 in Tulsa.

Future club meetings: **March 14**-Spring Creek BBQ in Richardson;

April 11-LaHacienda Ranch in Carrollton;

May 9-BJ's Brewhouse in Addison.

Jerry Echols reminded members that Autorama is February 14-16. Move in for participants is Thursday, February 13, and the club will have six C3s on display. He also had a sign up sheet for those planning to display their Vettes at the New Car Show on March 18-22.

Check Page 2 of the Newsletter for a schedule of upcoming out of town events for Corvette owners who want to hit the road.

The NCRS Regional Meet will be held February 19-22 in Lakeland, FL. The National Convention will be held July 19-23 in French Lick, IN.

Bill Preston talked about raising money for Patriot Paws at the upcoming Pate Swap Meet on April 30-May 2 at Texas Motor Speedway, and he needs volunteers. See the Newsletter for listing of other Meets in the area.

Meeting adjourned at 12:45 pm.

Submitted by Pat Cople, Secretary



Kimberly & Ed Atchley, Phil & Lynne Schilt, Lee & JoAnn Brumit.



Suzanne & David Jasinski, Beth & Len Woodruff, and Diane Preston



Ron Cople, Herb Duplant, Joe & Jan Koester and Pat Cople... WELCOME BACK PAT!!!



Kathleen & Jim Pagana, John Cantleberry, Sharon Conde, Carl Johanson, Bill & Diane Foote.



Rare member sightings... Gary Williams and Ron Thur



Jerry Echols & Rocky Rainbolt



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