

COWTOWN VETTES was chartered in February of 1974 and has celebrated over thirty years of fun and excitement as members have come together to enjoy the Corvette. In March 1975, **COWTOWN VETTES** became affiliated with the National Council of Corvette Clubs as a 100% NCCC club.

What is NCCC? The National Council of Corvette Clubs, popularly known as “N triple C,” is an organization of Corvette Clubs in the United States. As an NCCC member, you will receive a magazine titled Blue Bars quarterly. Blue Bars is full of club activities (nationwide) and information about the greatest car ever built! Liability insurance for sanctioned club events is also provided by NCCC to its member clubs.

What is the purpose of **COWTOWN VETTES**? The general purpose of the club is to encourage planned trips, social activities, and events for members of the club; to act as a source of technical information; to establish rules and regulations covering all activities of the club; to encourage skillful driving on public highways; and to own real and personal property as individuals for the foregoing purposes.

FUTURE CORVETTE OWNERS ASSOCIATION (FCOA) is an affiliated NCCC organization for youngsters (children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews of club members) up through age 16. This non-profit organization helps foster and educate our younger generations about “America’s Sports Car” – the Corvette.

The following are a few of the many activities and events in which Cowtown members participate:

AUTOCROSS: A race where Corvettes are classed by year, engine type, and modifications. Vehicles run a course with turns, straights, slaloms and various maneuvers against the clock. Cars are run one at a time against the clock (no wheel-to-wheel racing).



CHARITY: Cowtown has and continues to contribute to various charities around the Metroplex. Each year, we select four major charities by member balloting for our focus that year.

Members have participated in the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure, work at the Tarrant Area Food Bank each year along with giving needed donations to the Humane Society. Our Members have participated in Adopt-a-Family through Cook’s Children’s Hospital and have also donated needed clothing to the hospital.



DRAGS: This is a wheel-to-wheel competition set on either an eighth-mile or longer drag strip. National Record, Matching-Times and E.T. (bracket) drags are NCCC-sanctioned events.



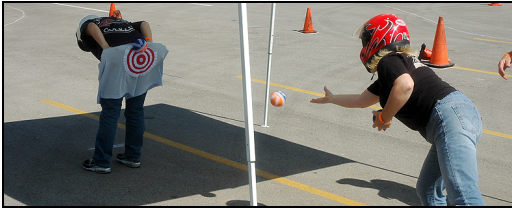
CONCOURS / CAR SHOWS: Exhibition of Corvettes for workmanship, neatness, and cleanliness. Car shows vary from judged to people’s choice type shows.



CRUISER: A Cowtown Member program that promotes the enjoyment of your Corvette by cruising and taking trips, either in groups or individually, stopping along the way for photos/points.



FUNKHANA: Similar to autocross but slower and usually involves gimmicks, a test of driving skills such as backing and/or other driver-navigator teamwork.



OPEN ROAD RACING: A higher-speed non-wheel-to-wheel skilled driving event where a speed is selected and the competitors compete to obtain the closest speed to their targeted speed.



RALLYE: Involves a test of driving and navigating skills. A driver and navigator negotiate a course on public roads using checkpoints and coded directions (within the speed limits), while answering questions along the Rallye route – there are many Rallye variations.

TEXAS MOTOR SPEEDWAY: Our Members have the opportunity to work TMS Race weekends for the excitement, fun and benefit of our club by earning "track dollars" towards our annual event.

COWTOWN VETTES meets monthly on the first Friday of each month at 7:30pm. Our 20+ year location recently sold and we are currently seeking a new location so at this time please see our website for the current Meeting location. Meetings start at 7:30 pm and adjourn by 9:00pm. The club publishes a monthly newsletter, entitled *The Cowtown Low-Down*, which includes information about club, local and NCCC regional activities.

Prospective members must own a Corvette and be at least 18 years of age. They must attend either 3 meetings or 2 meetings and 1 social or NCCC-sanctioned event. He/she must be voted in by a majority of the members present and must be present at the meeting to be voted in. All criteria must be met within a six-month period. Dues are \$52.00 per year for singles and \$72.00 per year for couples, while Annual Membership Renewals are \$42 single and \$62 couple - all memberships include the NCCC dues.

For more information, check out **COWTOWN VETTES'** website at:
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