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the **LOW-DOWN** from **COWTOWN**



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Cover photo - It's winter somewhere make that everywhere up North...

Membership Meeting Location and CTV Sponsor

"BUFFALO WEST"

7101 Camp Bowie West,
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CALENDAR

Space constraints mean it is not always possible to show everything on this calendar. Please check the [website](#) in addition!!!

February 2019 BATH SAFETY MONTH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<i>Cowtown 101</i> <i>6:30pm</i> <i>* Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm</i>	
 <i>Super Bowl Party</i>						<i>NCCC SWR Awards Banquet & Car Show - Georgetown, TX</i>
<i>People's Choice Car Gimmick & Chance Rallye - Georgetown, TX</i>						
			<i>Board Meeting</i> ----- <i>Lowdown Deadline</i>		<i>NCCC Nat'l Committee Meetings</i>	<i>NCCC Nat'l Governors Meeting</i>

March 2019 GREAT AMERICAN PIE MONTH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<i>* Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm</i>	
						<i>Practice Autocross @ TBD</i>
						<i>NCCC CTCC/ MCCC LS Autocross Waco, TX</i>
<i>NCCC CTCC/ MCCC LS Autocross Waco, TX</i>			<i>Board Meeting</i> ----- <i>Lowdown Deadline</i>			<i>NCCC TV Car Show etc Palestine, TX</i> ----- <i>Dinner at Vintage Grill and Car Museum, Weatherford</i>
<i>NCCC TV Car Show etc Palestine, TX</i>						

TMS RACING EVENTS - RACE Weekend
Thu 28th - Sun 31st - Work Security for Cowtown

Bold italic type denotes CTV events

** Denotes required attendance and participation for 100%er Award eligibility*
◆ Members attending these Events receive 100%er credit in lieu of Cowtown Events



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TBD: Chairperson

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



Happy Valentine's Day

2019 is going to be a exciting year for Cowtown Vettes. Our Club will be 45 years old and the Board

will be looking into a special event to celebrate our anniversary. (Keep your eyes open for emails and information on our web site.)

Larry Dyer has planned our first social event for this year, the Super Bowl Party, which should be great fun. He is also looking at new ideas for upcoming events.

As most of you already know, Bruce Lowrie Chevrolet will no longer be our Platinum Sponsor. They have supported our Club for more than 35 years and will be sorely missed. We are now actively looking for a new

Platinum Sponsor. If you know of a company that may be interested, please contact me or a member of the board.

I'd like to thank all of our committee chairs, they are the reason our club is successful. We still need a Car Show Chair, so if you are interested please give me a call. Bill Buehler has said he will help the new chair in any way he can. If we do not get anyone to step up, we will not have a Car Show this year.

The February Board meeting will be Feb. 20th at 7:00pm at Buffalo West and I welcome members to attend and bring new ideas to the Board to make our Club better.

Don Wells
President

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Cowtown Vettes is seeking a new Platinum Sponsor.

This opportunity has several benefits for the sponsor.

If you would like more information or have a company that might be interested, please contact one of our Elected Officers

For further information go to:

http://cowtownvettes.org/images/sponsors/Sponsorship_Program.pdf

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT



FEBRUARY

I think I'm finely getting the hang of the office duties and getting accustomed to actually doing something where a deadline is involved.

We are having our Super Bowl Party this year at **BJ's Restaurant** at **4720 South Hulen Street, Fort Worth**. We will have a private room with large TV's on each wall. Come and eat, enjoy your friends and hopefully a good game.

MARCH

I have also arranged our March event which will take place on **Saturday the 23rd** after a couple of rallye events in Palestine, TX. We will be heading to **Weatherford, Texas** to the **Vintage Grill & Car Museum**.

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New Members

None

Visitors

There were no visitors at the January meeting.



- 02/01 - Linda Benware
- 02/02 - Dale Thomson
- 02/04 - Tamra Novak
- 02/05 - Ki Ki Harvey
- 02/07 - Chad Martin
- 02/08 - Robin Hamilton
- 02/09 - Mo Wheeler
- 02/18 - Don Fowler
- 02/19 - Bob Smith
- 02/20 - Doc Lambert
- 02/24 - Bud Nice
- 02/24 - Kim West



- 02/06 - Don & Nancy Wells
- 02/09 - Mickey & Patricia Rigney
- 02/14 - Allen & Judy Shanholtz
- 02/15 - John & Nancy Moulton
- 02/23 - Scott & Lisa Harrison
- 02/27 - Bruce & Yvette Lewis
- 02/27 - Bud & Ruth Marie Nice
- 02/28 - Larry & Janice Dyer
- 02/28 - Doug & Glenda McMahan



Ann Walker
Membership / Welcome Chairperson
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Rookie of the Year 2019

The following members joined Cowtown during 2018, therefore, they are eligible for Rookie of the Year for 2019:

- Bryan Day

Nick & Glenda Kupferle

Kenneth & Robin Hamilton

Nicholas Kupferle IV

Scott & Lisa Harrison

Mack Maxwell

Frank & Kyong (Ki Ki) Harvey

Craig Plunkett

Lester Herndon & Cheryl Jackson

Thomas Simpkins

Richard & Carol Hill

Bob & Kay Snegon

Bill & Darlene Hornback



At the time of this writing your website is up to date. I have added the Upcoming Event for the Super Bowl Party which will be Feb. 3, 2019 at BJ's 4720 South Hulen Street starting at 5:30 PM.

This will be a good time for all... so if you didn't sign up at the last meeting contact Larry Dyer.

After a slow January, February has several activities for CTV Members, and March starts off Autocross Racing with the CTV Autocross Practice 3/9 and a NCCC Autocross in Waco 3/16,17.

In preparation of our big CTV Autocross event at TMS (April 26,27, & 28) Cowtown will provide workers for Pit Row Security and the Garage areas for the following races:

- VANKOR 350 GANDER OUTDOORS TRUCK SERIES RACE AND QUALIFYING DAY FOR THE MONSTER ENERGY NASCAR CUP SERIES MARCH 29TH
- MY BARIATRIC SOLUTIONS 300 & QUALIFYING FOR THE NASCAR XFINITY SERIES MARCH 30TH
- O'REILLY AUTO PARTS 500 MONSTER ENERGY NASCAR CUP SERIES RACE MARCH 31ST

If you have an interest contact Scott Wheeler and he will explain the requirements, dress code, etc. This helps out our club and offsets some of the cost to rent TMS Track for our event in April.

I worked the Pit Row Security last year during the unusual extreme cold weather we had and learned a lot about NASCAR and even got to meet Joe Gibbs. It is a lot of work and you are on your feet all day, but it is a fan's dream to see all the behind the scenes action.



So, if you work at TMS, please take some pictures on your break with your phone and send them to me to share with fellow CTV members.

Cowtown Vettes has a lot going on for all members and all types of interests: Car Shows, Cruises, Autocross Racing, Charity work, and much more...so get involved and enjoy your Corvette!

Doug McMahan still handles Social Media so if you have an interest in Social Media activities (Such as Facebook) and you would like to be on CTV's Social Media committee, contact Doug.

In closing, please don't hesitate to contact me if you find any pages that have issues or if there is something you would like to see.

Remember, it is your website and needs to be the best it can be.



Larry Currey
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For those of you that are new to the club and/or new to the Cruiser Program, I am going to repeat a portion of our article from the 2018 Low-Down.

“What I Learned Cruising”

William and I joined Cowtown Vettes in March 2013. The cruiser program seemed like a good place to get involved...no special equipment or skills required, just the car, a camera and the cruiser logo. We later learned a good dose of common sense would be helpful! Cities and counties matching the letters of the alphabet seemed like a good place to start. Later we could add a few parks or historic churches, how hard could it be...so we set out...a city limit sign seemed like a good option, well, not so much if you are on a busy road and you need to get the sign, your car, the cruiser logo and yourself in the picture. First of all, city limit signs are much taller than they appear and cars are passing by much closer and much faster than one would think. So after this activity was determined to possibly be hazardous it was on to plan B. We learned that courthouses could be a bonanza of points with the county name, sometimes the city name, historical markers and veterans memorials.....

The 2019 Cruiser Program is off and running; the logo, rules and log sheets are available from the cruiser chairpersons, William Nolan and Robert Geyer, at our meetings or you can print your own from under the Members Only section on the website.

A cruiser photo should contain:

- The Cruiser logo
- Your car
- Yourself
- The official designation for the location

Points can be accrued on individual travels or on club sponsored events.



Point totals required to earn an award are:

- 100 for gold
- 75 for silver
- 50 for bronze

Take a moment to read over the rules to see what will count toward your points totals. If you have any questions in regard to any part of the program please feel free to ask.

Several members have already mentioned cruises they are interested in planning and leading so hopefully it will be a fun year. Also, this year we are considering doing some “pop up” cruises. These will be short notice cruises with the notice coming from either the website or email or both.

Also, remember when you are out cruising to look for that interesting, scenic or unique setting in which to photograph your Corvette for the “What I Saw Along the Way” photo contest. Anyone is eligible to participate in this contest. You do not have to participate in the cruiser program to enter. We had some great photos submitted in 2018.

We are already having some “cruise worthy” weather so hopefully you are out enjoying your Corvette.

William Nolan
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Robert Geyer
Co-Chairperson



Welcome to Charity Talk! This is a new adventure for me, and I hope it is one that we can “talk” about. For those of you who do not know me, I have been a member of Cowtown Vettes since 1978. After I married Jerry, I joined the club “officially”. I had been an “honorary” member or something like that, but it was official as of 1978. And for those of you unaware of this, Jerry was one of the original members who formed Cowtown Vettes, so we have both been around this club for a long time. I have not served in a club position since the late ‘80’s but have been very involved with NCCC.

As Director of Sponsorship for NCCC, I worked with the Charity Director of NCCC to help provide prizes for them to earn monies for the NCCC Charity choice at that time, so I have had an interest in being involved with a variety of charitable organizations. Jane Buehler is a petite, young woman but her shoes are big, and I have much to learn to keep Cowtown Vettes involved with charitable activities that Jane and previous Charity Directors have worked with. Jane has promised her help and I will certainly make use of her expertise.

In the past few years, Cowtown Vettes has funded their charity choices with support of the 50/50 raffle at the monthly meeting and with some “extras”



along the way and I hope, with your help, to be able to continue that success this year. I will be discussing the Charity activity choices with the members of the Board this month and will provide a list of charities

at the February membership meeting that we can choose from to support in 2019. I have a few suggestions to add to the list to be considered and encourage you to share your ideas as well. Variety is the “spice of life” and change can be good.

I am so proud to be a member of a NCCC club that has a great reputation of a Corvette club that looks forward to helping others and paying it forward. As the saying goes, charity starts at home and Cowtown Vettes is a great home to reach out to others in our community as well as others who are in need.

See you in February and have your money ready to support the 50/50 raffle!



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A Short Walk to Save a Life

As most of you know, I am a staunch supporter of the National Kidney Foundation due to my 12+ years of dialyzing because of non-working kidneys. As a dialysis patient myself, I know firsthand how kidney disease impacts a family and how a little knowledge can go a long way.

PLEASE JOIN ME...on May 11, 2019, when I plan to walk with other kidney patients, organ donors, transplant recipients, family, friends and co-workers from Fort Worth and surrounding communities at LONE STAR PARK in Grand Prairie to help raise awareness of the more than 30 million Americans affected by kidney disease. (1 in 3 American adults is at risk for kidney disease. 1 in 9 American adults has kidney disease--and most don't know it.) Please mark you calendars and make plans to join me and other walkers representing Team CORVETTES FOR NKF.

If you have not joined our Team, please click on the NKF link on the Cowtown Vettes website, which will take you to the NKF Walk website. (NOTE: Be sure to search for the Corvettes for NKF Team and sign up there.) NKF is one of the few organizations that does NOT require payment in the form of a registration fee. However, we hope that you will use your many contacts, as well as Facebook, to fundraise for this annual DFW event.

If you have questions or problems, please call/text me at 817-846-9478.

In addition to participating in the Walk each year, YOUR continued support in the form of purchasing 50/50 RAFFLE tickets and/or participating in the SILENT AUCTION at Cowtown Vettes Annual TMS Super Speedway Weekend April 27-28, 2019 is greatly appreciated.

I will start selling 50/50 raffle tickets for \$1/ticket at the January membership meeting and continue selling them at each membership meeting until CTV's TMS Super Speedway weekend, when tickets will be sold at the event site and at the host hotel until the Raffle drawing is held on April 28 2019.

After the Awards Presentation on Saturday night, a drawing for the 'winning ticket', as well as other door prizes, will be held, followed by a Silent Auction. ONE-HALF (1/2) of the raffle proceeds go directly to the National Kidney Foundation serving North Texas, along with ALL of the proceeds from the Silent Auction. Your donations go directly to vital programs that help fight kidney disease through prevention, advocacy and education.

I hope that you will dig deep into your pockets to help Team Corvettes for NKF to be a Top NKF Fundraiser once again this year.

Remember: "A short walk can help someone take a lifesaving step."

Thank you.

Sylvia Hoaldrige

Team Captain, Corvettes for NKF

NOTE: After the NKF Walk on May 11, we will meet for brunch/lunch at Mimi's Cafe in Arlington Highlands on I-20.

I had to remove the article planned for this page as I didn't have time to do "due diligence". I try hard to avoid including anything that may be copyrighted - we do not need a lawsuit for infringement! Please, ensure anything you submit is copyright free!!

Thank you!

PJ - Editor



car wash. To prepare the area we used the alcohol wipes that came with the kit plus we used a Q-tip and alcohol to make sure the corners were cleaned out.



I would recommend left to right due to letter shape. You now have made "your statement" to your Corvette by adding the lettering of your choice to give the Corvette your personal touch.

Note: many of the lettering sets also work on the passenger's dash; follow the same procedures as mentioned above to dress-up the otherwise bland passenger dash area. **NOTE: It would NOT be recommended to use stainless steel lettering in this area since it is also the Air Bag covering.**



Does the rear of your C4 thru C6 need a little snazzing up; maybe just something simple to accent the recessed Corvette lettering on the rear? It is an easy job to do and most folks can accomplish it properly in less than thirty minutes. The same techniques and products show below are available for C4 thru C6 Corvettes.

There are various styles (at least) of lettering available; you can choose from stainless, vinyl decals or the domed poly type shown in this article. Regardless of which type lettering you choose, the process is basically the same and about the same level of difficulty (EASY).



Start out with by cleaning the lettering area of the car so that you don't have any dust which transfers to your hands or falls off and on to the letter's stick-um. Next, you will need to prepare the recessed lettering area; do this with care otherwise you'll end up losing a letter on the highway or at the

Once the alcohol has dried, take a lint-free rag and wipe the dried residue off. Peel the protective backing off the Corvette Letter Set – make SURE you DO NOT touch the sticky-em on the back of the letters; handle with the clear protector shield. Due to the logo design and shape, I decided to work from left to right, placing the "C" in the recessed area first.

Move letter by letter from left to right, pressing each of them into the recessed area. Once you have all the letters pressed into the recessed letters, burnish firmly over the clear protective shield with a dry soft rag until you are sure you have all the letters adhered to the body. Once you have the letters in, GENTLY pull the clear protective shield off of the letters – again,

2018 "WHAT I SAW ALONG THE WAY"



2018 "WHAT I SAW ALONG THE WAY"



Still not much happening at the museum:

APRIL 25-27, 2019

Kickoff of the NCM on site event season – Seminars will feature speakers discussing using your 7th generation navigation system, testing the C7 on the Nurburgring, Exxon Mobil, Doug Fehan talking about the Corvette race team, and a Corvette Store fashion show. As in past years there will be a large contingent of GM engineers and designers from Warren Tech Center, and the Bowling Green Assembly Plant ready to answer your every ques-



For those who are going on the Corvette Caravan:

As you already know we have secured our hotel rooms in Nashville and you will need to call and re-served your own room. We will be staying at the Best Western Opryland located at 201 Music City Circle in Nashville phone number 615 902-9940.

When you call to make your room reservations book them as “Corvette Anniversary Group under Larry Dyer”. There will also be another Corvette Club from Pennsylvania staying there and the hotel doesn’t want to mix us up.

I have about a dozen Corvettes from my other club who will be joining us to Windstar and beyond.



tion. Also, back to Bash is our LT5 engine building demonstration by BGAP engine build team.

Returning activities include a seminar and classroom sessions by GM certified Corvette Technicians Paul Koerner. Enjoy guided road tours, two celebrity choice car shows, the Ladies’ Oasis, and the expanded Garage Party with women of the GM Corvette Team. The ladies will cover all aspects of Corvettes including maintenance, engineering and even high-performance driving (ladies only).

**REGISTRATION TO OPEN
JANUARY 2, 2019**

Larry Dyer
NCM Ambassador
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Hello everyone and Happy New Year to all!!

With the start of 2019 is the start of another year of NCCC events. I don’t have a lot of firm information on some of these events other than the dates. Our first event will be the **practice autocross at location TBD** parking lot on **Saturday, March 9, 2019**.

Out next event for the year will be our **23rd Annual Super Speedway Weekend at TMS**. The dates are **Saturday, April 27 and Sunday, April 28, 2019**. The host hotel will be the **Hampton Inn and Suites** located at **13600 North Freeway, Fort Worth, TX**. We currently have 30 rooms blocked for the event: 10 Double rooms at \$102; 10 King Study rooms at \$102; and 10 King



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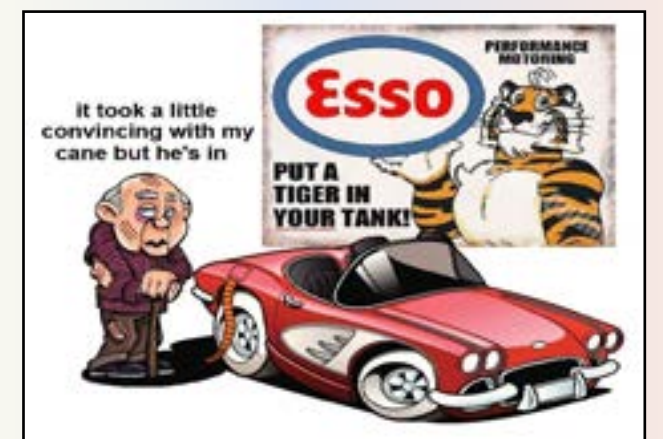


Suites at \$119. There will be more information to follow, so please make sure you check back on the CTV website!!

Saturday, June 8 will be our **Spring Scramble at Fat Daddy’s Bar and Grill in Mansfield**. This will consist of our car show, a funkhana, and two rallyes, a poker and a gimmick, run simultaneously.

Our final event of the year will be an autocross tentatively planned for **Mineral Wells Airpark on Saturday, September 21, and Sunday, September 22**.

As always, we would like the support of our members in volunteering to help out in order to make these events as successful as possible.



SW Region Clubs

- BRAZOS RIVER CORVETTE CLUB (BRCC)
Granbury, TX • SW-540
- CEN-TEX CORVETTE CLUB (CTCC)
Waco, TX • SW-200
- CORVETTE CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY (CCOC)
Oklahoma City, OK • SW-468
- CORVETTE CLUB OF TEXAS (CCT)
Dallas, TX • SW-074
- CORVETTE OWNERS ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH TEXAS (COAST)
San Antonio, TX • SW-143
- COWTOWN VETTES (CTV)
Fort Worth, TX • SW-055
- EAST TEXAS CORVETTE CLUB (ETCC)
Lufkin, TX • SW-577
- LONGHORN CORVETTE CLUB (LCC)
Austin, TX • SW-207
- MID-COAST CORVETTE CLUB (MCCC)
Lake Jackson, TX • SW-170
- OKLAHOMA CITY CORVETTE CLUB (OCCC)
Oklahoma City, OK • SW-131
- SAN JACINTO CORVETTE CLUB (SJCC)
Houston, TX • SW-063
- TEXAS COMPETITION CORVETTE CLUB (TCCC)
McGregor, TX • SW-569
- TEXAS CORVETTE MOTORSPORTS CLUB (TCMC)
Houston, TX • SW-568
- TEJAS VETTES (TV)
Plano, TX • SW-163
- TEXAS OUTLAWS CORVETTE CLUB (TOCC)
Graham, TX • SW-198
- TIN HALL TOYS (THT)
Santa Fe, TX • SW-392
- TULSA VETTE SET (TVS)
Tulsa, OK • SW-248



2019 SWR COMPETITION SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	EVENT	CLUB
02/22-23	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l
02/09	Georgetown, TX	SWR Awards Party & Banquet, hosted by Longhorn Corvette Club Banquet Registration Deadline: Jan. 29, 2019 (postmarked) Location: Georgetown, TX Regardless if you compete, work events or just support a club that hosts an event - we invite you to come join us! Come participate in the 2019 1st 4 sanctioned events too! Room & Cost: Comfort Inn & Suites in Georgetown - Online	ALL
02/09-10	Georgetown, TX	SWR Fundraiser, Car Show, Funkhana & 2 Rallyes	TOCC THT
03/09	Burleson, TX	Practice Autocross - non-sanctioned	CTV
03/16-17	Waco, TX	Baylor Stadium Parking Lot 4 Low-Speed Autocrosses 10 Low-Speed Autocrosses	CTCC MCCC
TBD	TBD	1st SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING @ TBD	ALL
03/23-24	Palestine, TX	Dogwood Festival, Parade, Car Show, Funkhana & Rallyes	TV
04/06-07	Waco, TX? Holland, TX	TBD 7 Low-Speed Autocross Events Little River Dragway 3 Drag Events - MT, Record & ET (all 1/8? mile)	COAST
04/13-14	Waco, TX	TSTC - Airport 4 Low-Speed Autocrosses 10 Low-Speed Autocrosses	CTCC TCCC
04/27-28	Ft Worth, TX	Texas Motor Speedway - 23rd Annual Super Speedway Weekend 7 Low-Speed Autocross Events 5 or 7 Low-Speed Autocross Events Laps on the Oval Sunday Morning	CTV (BRCC)
05/03-04	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l
05/25-27	Stroud, OK	21 Low-Speed Autocross Events	CCOC, TVS & ETCC
06/08-09	Mansfield, TX	Fat Daddy's Bar & Grill Spring Scramble, Car Show, Funkhana & 2 Rallyes	CTV (BRCC / CCT)
06/22-23	Ardmore, OK	Car Show, Funkhana & 2 Rallyes (hosted by OCCC)	ETCC
TBD	TBD	2nd SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING @ TBD	SWR
July	N/A	No Events - hot in our region	N/A
7/7/2012	Denver, CO	NATIONAL CONVENTION 2019	Nat'l
August	N/A	No Events - hot in our region	N/A
09/6-07	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l

Complete schedule and flyers for these events can be found at <http://www.ncccswregion.org/schedule.html>

NCCC GOVERNOR



The Southwest Region Awards Banquet will be upon us as you read this article! February 9th and 10th in Georgetown, TX. It will include a car show & funkhana on Saturday before the awards banquet, where we enjoy good friends, good food and a band for your entertainment. Sunday will have 2 rallyes, one change and one gimmick and will end at yet another eating place. You know Corvettes and food go together! This will be a fun weekend so plan to attend. Longhorn Corvette Club has secured a block of rooms at Comfort Inn in Georgetown. See the website for details.



National Council of Corvette Clubs (NCCC) Convention is set for July 7-12, 2019 in Denver, CO and online registration will open on Sat. Feb. 2 at 8:00 CST. Hopefully, by then some of the tours will be firmed up and the schedule of activities will be on the website so you can make your decision on what you would like to do for the week. Colorado is a beautiful place in July and won't be as hot as Texas so plan to attend and see old friends or make new ones that love the Corvette as much as you do.

March will begin our competition season. We will have a practice on March 9th to warm up you and your car for the season.

The first Southwest Region event will be the next weekend in Waco at the Baylor Stadium parking lot. This will be a close to home event and always Cen-Tex CC puts on a good event and will welcome new competitors. If you have ever been interested come out and check out practice and the event, you will be hooked!

At the end of March is the Dogwood Festival in Palestine, TX and will be welcoming spring with a car show, funkhana and rallyes. March 23 and 24th.



Glenda McMahan
NCCC Governor
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How To STAY YOUNG

1. Throw out nonessential numbers. This includes age, weight and height. Let the doctors worry about them. That is why you pay them.
2. Keep only cheerful friends. The grouches pull you down.
3. Keep learning. Learn more about the computer, crafts, gardening, whatever. Never let the brain idle - and that's the devil's workshop." And the devil's name is Alzheimer's.
4. Enjoy the simple things.
5. Laugh often, long and loud. Laugh until you gasp for breath.
6. The tears happen. Endure, grieve, and move on. The only person who is with us our entire life, is ourselves. Be **ALIVE** while you are alive.
7. Surround yourself with what you love, whether it's family, pets, keepsakes, music, plants, hobbies, whatever. Your home is your refuge.
8. Cherish your health: If it is good, preserve it. If it is unstable, improve it. If it is beyond what you can improve, get help.
9. Don't take guilt trips. Take a trip to the mall, even to the next county; to a foreign country but NOT to where the guilt is.
10. Tell the people you love that you love them, at every opportunity.

AND ALWAYS REMEMBER:

Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away.

Larry Dyer

Never regret becoming older; too many are denied the privilege!



SUPER BOWL PARTY

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Caps, Visors, Sweatshirts, Long Sleeve T-shirts, Short Sleeve T-shirts, Men's & Women's Long Sleeve Denim Shirts, Polo shirts Name Tags

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Thanks!

Donna Forsythe
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