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Event Calendar

August 10 August 18 August 21 August 31 September 7 September 25 November 6 December 18

Happy Hour Winery Event Padre Game Fun Run NCV Monthly Meeting Prescott All-Corvette Show Vettes for Veterans Car Show Christmas Party

2021 NCV Board

President:	Gary Pebley	Member Services:	Scott McClellan
Vice President:	Carm Finocchiaro Activities:		Open
Secretary:	Scott White	Newsletter:	Glenn Peterson
Treasurer:	Dave Tracy		1

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August Birthdays



Marci Hibsch	August 1
Glenn Peterson	August 3
Susan Johnson	August 5
Wayne Label	August 10
Don Wolfe	August 18
Deb Carson	August 26
Warren Elsasser	August 26





Vettes for Veterans Car Show By Royann McClellan

2021 Car Show Basket Report

Our goal is 30 baskets and we have 7 to date, including: Martinis for Two Dog's Life BBQ Coffee with a Kick Asian Tea Lemons in Aid Americana Picnic

We are also trying to collect all things Corvette for a separate Corvette raffle. We have C7 and Stingray signage, Corvette book, and puzzle...so we have a long way to go. If you have an accessory that you love, please advise so it can be added to the basket...or better yet donate the accessory.

I want to send a special Thank You to Jean and Walter Perkins who gave us the first completed basket (Martinis for Two). Please contact me if you have any questions, donations, ideas or complaints.

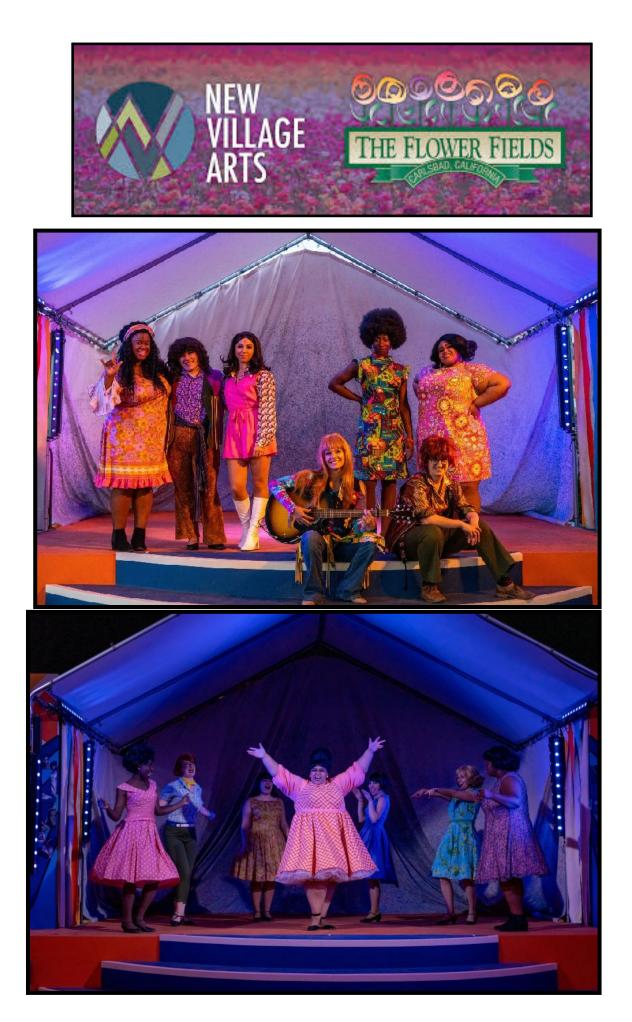
Royann McClellan 760-201-5591

Bee Hive the 60's Musical By Lisa Lerandeau

On July 11, 2021, we attended the New Village Arts' production of "Bee Hive the 60's Musical." Thank you Scott and Donna White! It was staged at the Flower Fields in Carlsbad. I believe there were 11 of us who went, including Lesly and her cousin. Susie. We could not have asked for a more perfect day to attend, there were gentle breezes blowing and Monarch butterflies flitting about. The outdoor seating was under a canopy as was the stage. The story behind this play starts with the 7 actresses introducing themselves, and taking turns discussing some of the history of that decade, and about the women at the forefront making positive changes for all women then and now. Then the music started and it was such fun, at most times it was lighthearted with lots of audience members singing along. And at times it was very moving, in particular with regards to the song, "Abraham, Martin, and John" Of all times for me to not have brought a Kleenex. I felt the joy and sorrow of those times, and the young ladies on the stage did an amazing job. They sang so many great songs, a few of these were, "It's my Party," "My Boyfriend is Back," "Son of a Preacher Man," "River Deep Mountain High," and a fantastic rendition of "Proud Mary" I've goose bumps just thinking about it. Near the end of the show, a lot of audience members were up and dancing. As I said, "It was a perfect day..."

After the show Scott suggested we go for a meal at Miguel's. We ate delicious Mexican food, had some tasty beverages, and enjoyed each other's company. I ordered the fish tacos, and I've never had better! We really do have a great club with great members/friends, and I'm happy to be a part of it.





Main Street America July 17th

By JD Duncan

On Saturday July 17th the Corvette Owners Club of San Diego had their 24th annual Main Street America Car Show at Seaport Village. 356 registered cars covered the grounds.

The top 4 clubs in attendance NOT counting COCSD were....

San Diego Miata Club with 34 cars, North Coast Vettes with 18, East County Cruisers 13 and North County Vettes with 12 cars.

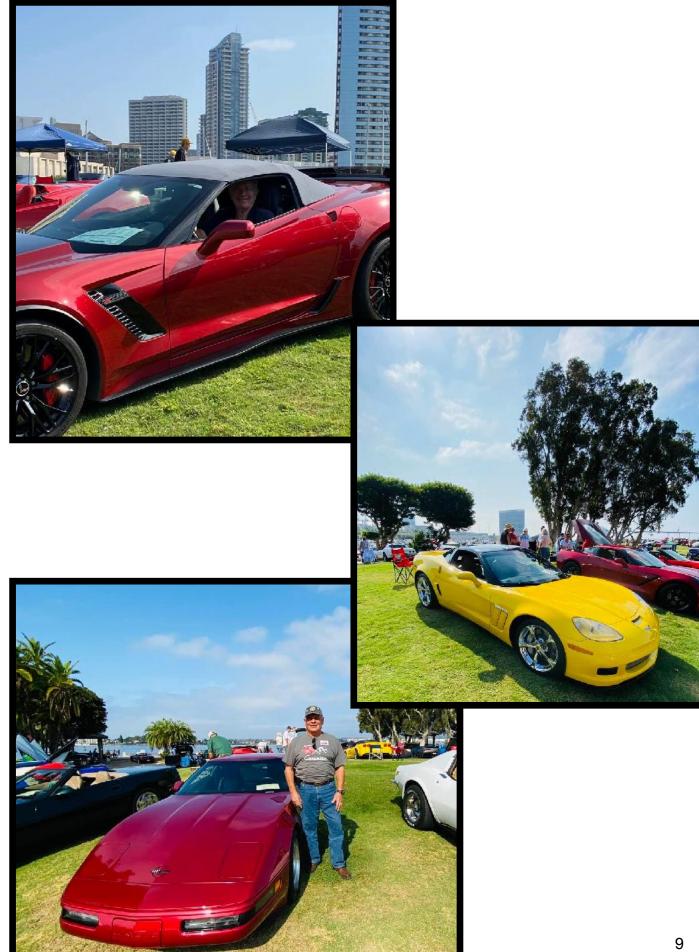
Craig, the show organizer, said he will gather his group and show well at our show in Nov. Their club took honors with us in 2019 with 30 Cars registered.

He told me no date is set just yet for their show in 2022, that's up to the Port of San Diego.

Once we got the word out to our club to register they did and all of us had a great day at a great venue with great people.

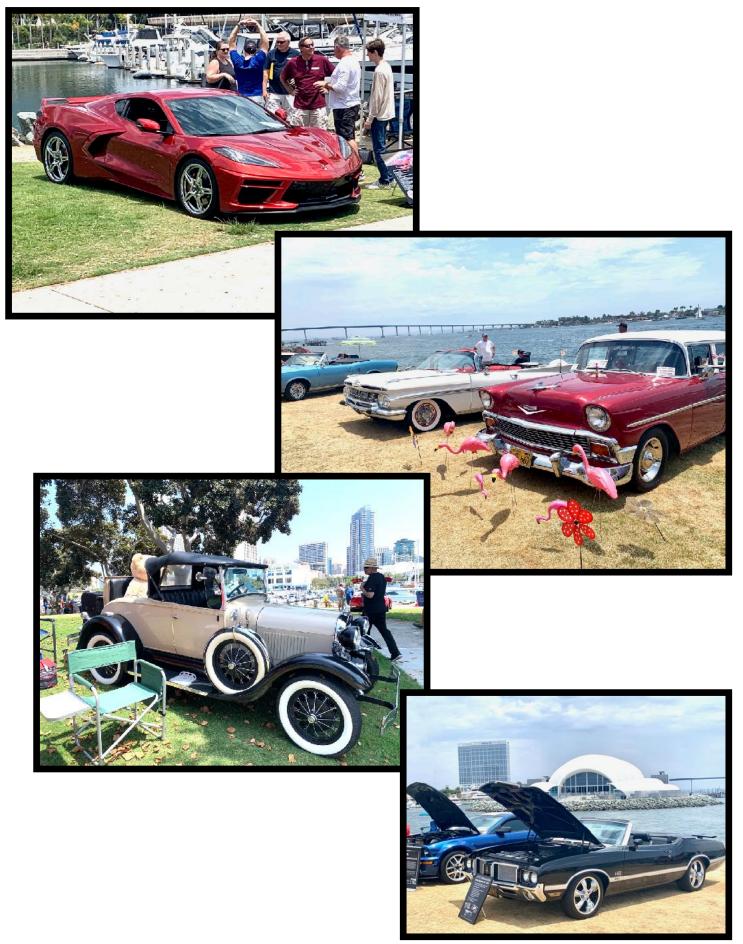






















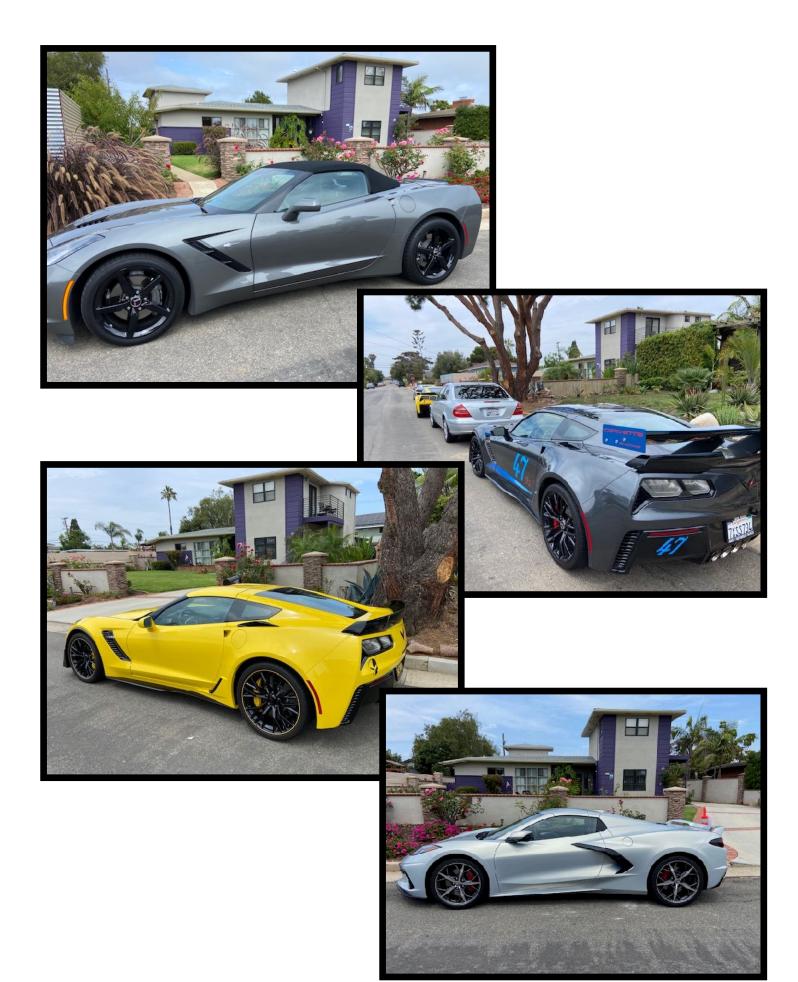
Lesly Adams Mixer













OnStar Ends Police Pursuit of a Stolen C7 Corvette

By <u>Mitch Talley</u> -CorvetteBlogger. Jul 30, 2021

Chalk up another victory for OnStar over the bad guys.

California Highway Patrol says the General Motors high-tech security system played a key role in the apprehension of a stolen C7 Corvette coupe in the San Fernando Valley area around 1:15 p.m. Thursday.

While high-powered sports cars like this purple-wrapped Stingray can sometimes lead police on dangerous high-speed chases, this one came to an uneventful conclusion rather rapidly.

"OnStar contacted CHP Dispatch to notify us" of the stolen Corvette on the 405 near Rossville Boulevard, Sgt. Steven Geraty told FOX 11 News reporter Ed Laskos. "After a short pursuit, about three minutes, the vehicle was disabled by OnStar."

Aerial video shows five officers immediately surrounding the vehicle, weapons raised, while the suspect raises his hands into the air and is taken into custody.

Inside the Corvette, authorities found narcotics and boxes containing several highpowered assault weapons. "There was AK-47s involved, and there was handguns, 1911s (pistols), quite a mixture of guns – magazines with an extended drum magazine," Geraty said. "They're very dangerous weapons."

Chris Yzaguirre, who retired from the Los Angeles Police Department after more than 30 years and dozens of chases, tells FOX 11: "These things happen in a second. They either go really good or they can go bad so having OnStar or a feature like that technology is always a plus."

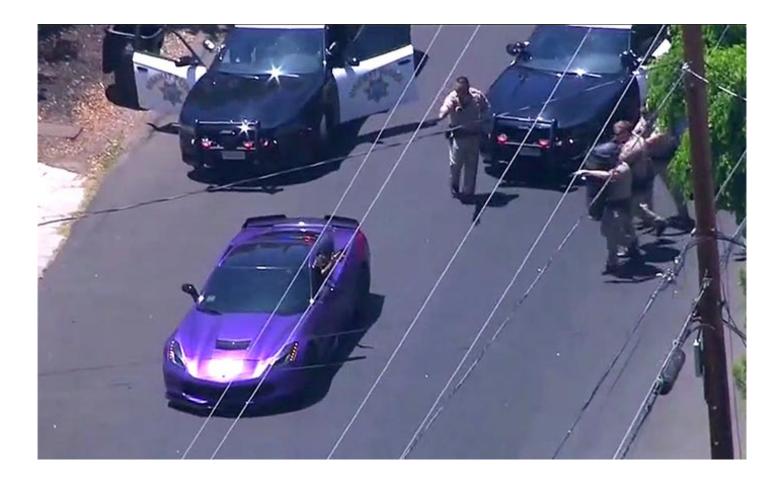
Yzaguirre knows it's important for the target of the pursuit to be stopped in a safe area where no else is put at risk, pointing out a key advantage of the GM system is that a pursuing officer "can communicate with OnStar and the other officers, say let's

wait another half a block [so] maybe they're passing in an area where there's a low population and it's an open field or something like that."

OnStar tells FOX 11 that it works with law enforcement to stop thieves, explaining: "An OnStar Advisor can send a signal to disable a stolen vehicle's engine and gradually slow the vehicle to an idle speed to assist police in attempting to recover a member's vehicle, once authorities have confirmed conditions are appropriate and safe."

Yzaguirre also said that the system ensures the car can't be restarted by the suspect, "and isn't it nice that we can make sure a bad guy doesn't get a second chance at trying to hurt somebody out there?"

Another important feature of OnStar is that if officers think they may have spotted a potential stolen vehicle, they can ask OnStar to send a signal to flash the taillights a couple of times to confirm it's the right one while the suspect is totally unaware.





Nothing this month.....

July Meeting Minutes By Scott White Secretary

Business Meeting Minutes July 6, 2021

1.Vice President Carm Finocchiaro called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. **at El Camino Country Club in Oceanside** ...Gary Pebley was away on business

2. Approval of Minutes for June 2021

a. Vicki Ford made the motion to approve and Buddy Watson seconded....motion passed by vote of members.

b.Introduction of Visitors by Scott McClellan

c.Martin Hibsch and Marci were welcomed as visitors and returning members to the club

d. David Kertenian was visiting and is driving a restored 1969 vette

e.Perry and Becky Kagan were visiting and are the owners of 3 vette convertibles, a blue 1973, a red 1998 and a black 2002

f.Membership Report by Scott McClellan

g.Scott announced that there were 31 members in attendance.

h.Treasurer's Report by Dave Tracy

i.Not for public view.

j.New Business Carm Finocchiaro

k.Main Street America car show on July 17 in San Diego about 15 cars...drive separately or caravan from Starbucks at Carlsbad Outlet Mall....meet at 7:45 am and leave at 8 am

I. 15th Annual All-Corvette Show on Saturday Sept 25 in Prescott, Az. Planning a group trip with plans provided in detail at a later date....while there we will see Lynn and Shelton.

m.Christmas Party in December at Shadow Ridge Country Club with date and info TBD led by Sharon LaFarge.

n.Congratulations to the July birthdays; Steve MacPherson, Jacque Rechtorovich, Carm Finocchiaro, Anita Fredendall, Linda Schechner, Larry Gentile and Linda Harris

50/50 Dave Tracy wins \$27

a. Vettes for Veterans Car Show Update Buddy Watson

b.57 Registrations thus far which is a bit behind schedule and too few from our membership. Please register your car so that we have 100% participation from the club....any questions contact Buddy or John Boyd.

c.Royann had a basket making party at her house on June 26. If you have a basket filled already get it to Royann.

d. Valerie and John Treese plan to volunteer for the Show (they are living in Florida) e.Club sponsored Activities

f.Don't forget Thursday Breakfast Club in Vista

g.June included happy hour at Carlsbad Brewery with 25 attendees and a fun run along historic US 395.

h.July 11 at 2 pm is the performance of "Beehive" at the flower fields followed by dinner at Miguel's Cocina...a few tickets left at newvillagearts.org and use promo code vettes and let Scott White know you will be attending.

i.Wendy is working a happy hour and fun run and will furnish details shortly j.Mixer with Lesly Adams at her home on Saturday July 24 from 12-3 pm more info to follow.

k.Janice Denier is working a private Winery event on August 15, more to come I.Possible activity with Ruth Kurisu at her home on August 14 more to come m.Dave Tracy working Padre tickets for Saturday night August 21 at 5:40 pm....

n.Newsletter Glenn Peterson... no report

o.Social Director Royann McClellan report by Scott McClellan

p.Sandy and Lesly doing better (Lesly was at the meeting) and John and Lula are still battling health issues.

q.Tech Talk Dave Tracy talked about making sure your water hose replacements are installed in the correct direction and Carm discussed problem with tire businesses cross threading lug nuts because they didn't take the time to start them by hand.

50/50 Rob Hogue won \$27

a. Discussion

b.Walter recommended My Yard in San Marcos for Happy Hour c.JD Duncan appreciated the meeting being at El Camino Country Club

The meeting was adjourned by Vice President Carm Finocchiaro at 7:15 pm.

The next Regular Business Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 3, 2021 Respectfully submitted by Scott White, NCV Secretary