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**SEPTEMBER, 2004**

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**It's that time of year again, to be thinking about election of club officers. In our club this is not a highly competitive process. If you have thought about holding an office in our club, or would be willing to consider doing so, now is the time to offer your name for nomination. Nominations for Officers for the upcoming year will be received and confirmed in September and October. The election of officers will take place at the November meeting, and the new officers will be installed at the December meeting/Christmas party. Unless members step forward to take on the jobs of secretary and newsletter editor, the club will not have a secretary or newsletters after the end of 2004.**

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**Condolences are sent to Michael & Linda Derrer on the death of Michael's father on Saturday, August 7<sup>th</sup>.**

**If you learn of a significant event or situation affecting a club member or immediate family member, i.e., births, deaths, serious illness, please notify B. or Joyce Martin so that a card can be sent from our club.  
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**28 members and guests attended the regular club meeting on August 9.** We were glad to welcome Bibi and Arne Bendiken from Charlottesville. Bibi and Arne came along with the group from our club that attended the Chuck Berge show on Saturday, August 7.

**The fund for the memorial brick for Elaine Cummins is now at \$425.** If you have not made a contribution, and wish to do so, please bring your contribution to the next meeting, or

send it to Butch Beverly, 952 Frays Mountain Road, Earlysville, VA 22936. There is no set amount for a contribution - any amount you wish to give is welcome. Be sure to note "Cummins memorial" on your check.

**The club location at Corvettes at Carlisle** will be spaces L53 & 54, the same as past years. Ledford Carpenter is transporting the canopy, and will take parts for those who make arrangements with him in advance. Your part must be marked with the price, and you will need to leave a sheet with your absolute lowest price, and your cell phone #, if you have one, so that you can be contacted on the grounds at Carlisle. If you are selling parts or a car, be prepared to take a turn supervising the club site. 10% of your selling price will go to the club, in addition to the required sales tax. If you wish to show your car for sale at the club space, you must contact Rick Hicklin immediately. There is only room for one

car at a time. For the sale of your Vette at the club site, there is a flat fee of \$100 to the club.

Don't forget the Labor Day weekend **cruise-in at Wright's Dairy Rite in Staunton on Sunday, September 5**, from 5 – 8 p.m. Arrive early for choice parking. No fee, dash plaques, all kinds of classic cars, DJ, good food.

For the **Fabulous Hubcaps concert at Wintergreen on September 19**, members will need to meet at the Waynesboro Outlet Mall at 10:30, to caravan to Wintergreen. 13 car clubs have been invited to show. We have been asked to have our cars on the show field by 12:00. The Hubcaps' concert begins at 2:30, and is expected to last about 2 hours. Entrance fee for those showing cars is \$10/person @ 2 people per car. Wintergreen will be vending food and beer, or we can bring our own picnic. Food arrangements will be discussed at the September meeting. A car count will be needed for this event – if you are coming, be sure to mark the sign-in sheet at the September 13 meeting, or call Rick Hicklin before the meeting.

The club **cruise-in at Eavers Car Museum has been scheduled for September 26, 1 – 5 p.m.** Club members will be running this event. Volunteers are needed to run the food booth, sell 50/50 tickets, handle parking and give out dash plaques. If the museum is open during the event, a few members will be needed to provide security inside the museum.

**October 10 was confirmed as the date for the club picture, which will be taken at Eavers Car Museum, and a cruise and picnic** at a yet-to-be-chosen location. Rick is investigating the idea of having a pig roast at this event. Bring your suggestions and ideas to the September meeting.

**17 Vettes from our club made the trip to Manassas for the Chuck Berge Cruise-In.** At the cruise-in, the group also found Mick & Leslie

Lemish, with Leslie's beautiful '58. Also there was club member Ron Strum, of Woodstock, from the northernmost edge of our club. After making their way through the northern Virginia traffic, and getting separated a couple of times in the process, it was suggested that in the future when we are traveling as a group a list of directions or a simple map be distributed to all participants. To implement this plan, it will be important to have an idea how many members plan to attend events.

At the Chuck Berge show, in addition to the great Vettes, one thing which really made an impression was the appearance of **club shirts** among the crowd. It was easy to find members of the clubs who were wearing matching shirts. Lynn Combs has suggested that our club choose a matching shirt for these types of events, and also for the cruise-in events we host. Lynn has researched purchasing embroidered shirts from a local vendor, and is working on the artwork necessary for the logo. More information will be presented in September at the meeting, and in the October newsletter.

### **WANTED TO BUY**

**1967 427 Tri-Power Big Block Convertible** in excellent condition – must have 4-speed, side exhaust, PS, PB, and factory air conditioning. **Mick Lemish, 703-421-8875**

### **FOR SALE**

1991 Corvette, Dark Metallic Green, Tan interior, AC, power windows, locks, automatic, loaded. 2-owner Vette, 45,000 miles, excellent condition.

“I am selling because I have been called for military duty and will be gone for 3 years. I am asking \$13,000. If you would like more information please contact me at [VAFlyboy81@aol.com](mailto:VAFlyboy81@aol.com) “

Adam Williams

**2004 EVENT CALENDAR**

**August 27 – 29 Corvettes at Carlisle**

August 28 – Cruise’n Kids to Camp, Charlottesville Elks Lodge

Sept. 5 – Wright’s Dairy Rite Cruise-In, details in this newsletter

Sept. 10 – Car Show to benefit Men’s Ministeries at Harrisonburg 1<sup>st</sup> Church of the Nazarene, Port Republic Rd., 6:00 – 9:00 p.m., Zach Straits, 540-294-8601

September 12 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show, Federated Auto Parts, Statler Blvd., Staunton, Reg. 10 – 1, Judging 1 –3.

Sept. 12 – Piedmont Region AACA show at Piedmont Community College, antiques, classics, street rods, special interest class for 78-03. Rain or shine. Fee \$15 at gate / \$10 in advance thru 9/2.

**Sept. 13 – Regular club meeting**

**Sept. 18 – The Fabulous Hubcaps concert at Wintergreen** Details in this newsletter.

Sept. 18 – Craigsville Car & Truck Show

Sept. 19 – Scottsville Cruise-In, Village Square Parking Lot 12 – 4 p.m.

Sept. 19 – SCCA autocross at August County Government Center in Verona. 8:30 to drive (\$20) or 11:00 to watch (\$free\$), newbies welcome, loaner helmets available.

**Sept. 25 – Grottoes Heritage Festival**, 9-4 dash plaques, on street parking, caravan from Waynesboro Outlet Mall at 9:00, or meet club at Grottoes around 10:00.

**Sept. 26, Eavers Cruise-in.** Details in this newsletter

Sept.29-Oct.3 – Fall Carlisle

**Oct. 10 – Club Picture & Picnic** - details in this newsletter

**Oct. 11 – Regular club meeting**

Oct. 16 – Car Show at Ferrum College, Lee Coffman will bring details to Sept. meeting

**Nov. 8 – Regular club meeting**

**REPEATING SHOWS**

Fast Freddy’s in Salem, Saturday nights thru fall, cars gather from 6:00 on. Go early for good parking location.

Orange County Cruisers, cruise-in at Burger King in Orange every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday thru October, 6 – 10p.m.

Cruise-In at Arby’s in Culpepper every Friday night.

Cruise-In at the Food Lion shopping center in Ruckersville, sponsored by Country Cruisers, 5 –9 p.m., 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays thru October, Top 10 awards & 50/50.

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**In case of bad weather or other questionable circumstances, make sure an event is still being held before leaving home. Schedule changes and cancellations of club events are emailed to all on-line club members and posted on the message board of the club website. If you do not have internet access, use your club roster to find a member who does, and call before you go.**  
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**Blue Ridge Corvette Club meets on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Eavers Classic Car Museum, I-81, Exit 217, Mint Spring, VA**

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