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Phil and Donna Kania have found the Club shirts! They each wore a sample of both the men's and ladies shirts to the May meeting. They are a light blue color, actually called 'Bimini' with a white trim. The shirts are Outerbanks brand. The business name is Mad Hat Ent. They are located at 806 Springhill Road in Staunton. When passing Gypsy Hill Park, you turn right onto Springhill Rd., then they are the first business on the right. If you would like to purchase a shirt, just give them a call: 540-885-9600 and they can take your credit card number or you may stop by. Phil has agreed to stop by and pick up all the shirts that have been paid for, and bring them to the June meeting, if that is more convenient for you. Just simply tell them that you are with the Blue Ridge Corvette Club, and would like to order either the men's or women's. The cost is only \$22.00 plus tax, per shirt, which includes the Club's name. If you order a XXL or larger, there will be an extra charge. The mens polo shirt comes with about 3-4 buttons. The ladies shirt doesn't have any buttons and has a "V" style neckline. The style # is 6093 & 6094. We choose not to put a logo on it, as there are so many different flag styles. If you have any questions about the shirts, feel free to call either Phil, or Mad Hat. A few members asked if there would be a discount for multiple orders, and Phil checked on this, and they said that the prices were already low, that they wouldn't be able to give an extra discount.

**NOTICE:** Last months newsletter reported a change to the meeting place in Waynesboro. The Club decided to **keep** it at the **Park N Ride** at the Outlet Village Mall for now. When meeting for the June picnic in Bridgewater, please meet at the Park N Ride.

Rick reported that his wife, Alana, had a minor stroke a few weeks ago. He said she is doing fine now. She spent a few days in the hospital, but is at home. She hopes to return to work soon. Alana, we wish you a speedy recovery.

**The Club supports the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. Dave Cummins reported that donations have been low at the monthly meetings. This is probably due to people forgetting to bring something. We decided that if you forget, you may also give a cash donation. It was also discussed to bring only canned items from now on. Please try and remember to bring something with you, as the food bank's supply is currently very low.**

Barbara Ramsey is now the only contact person for the updates to the Club roster. She has been doing a fine job, and has agreed to take on this job. Thanks Barbara!

Curt Glover has Club membership cards and name tags for numerous people. If you haven't picked yours up yet, please see Curt at the monthly meeting, or check with him at Dick Myers Cruise In.

Some Club members went to Eastside, and they did very well showing their cars. Art & Kathy Rottenborn placed, as well as Jim & Linda Carver. Way to go!!

**Last month I apparently got the date wrong for the Hugh Cassell School Career Days. It is at the END of this month. The correct date is May 31<sup>st</sup>. I apologize for any inconvenience this caused anyone. Please come out on the 31<sup>st</sup> and show your stuff! Following is the details. May 31<sup>st</sup>: 11-2. This is a fun event for the Club. You can show off your vette to the students, socialize and even have lunch. The cars will be parked according to whether or not you want to allow the students to sit in your cars. If you plan on attending this event, you need to arrive before 11AM. Directions to Hugh Cassell School: 1301 Rockfish Rd. Waynesboro.**

These directions were taken straight from the school's website.

Directions from Waynesboro:

1. Travel northeast on Hopeman Parkway toward VA-254.
2. Turn left onto VA-254, continue for 1.2 miles.
3. Turn right onto Henkel Road/VA-827, for 0.2 miles.
4. Turn right onto Cattle Scales Road & continue to the stop sign, about 1.5 miles.
5. Cross Rockfish Road to the school.

Directions from Staunton:

1. Travel east onto VA-275, which becomes VA-254/Hermitage Road; continue for 5.1 miles.
2. Turn left onto Va-619/Hildebrand Church Road & continue to the stop sign, about 2.2 miles.
3. Turn right onto VA-865/Rockfish Road, for 0.8 miles.
4. Turn left into the school.

If you want to go to Corvettes at Carlisle, there still may be some rooms about 30 miles from there in Chambersburg. Please check soon, as they are sure to go fast. Also, the Club will once again have the same spaces reserved at the show. L 53 & 54.

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## **Future Club Events**

June 3<sup>rd</sup>-10-3 Rain or Shine. Dick Myers Show. The Club will be hosting this Cruise-In along with Dick Myers in Elkton. If you can help with parking, registration, etc. please come early. This will be an all GM vehicle cruise in. Goodie bags, and dash plaques to the first 150 entries. Gift certificates and prizes, along with refreshments, ice cream, face painting, and live music. No entry fee, but Please, bring canned goods or a donation to the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. Contact Rick Hicklin for more information @ 540-949-4924. The Club will be going out to eat after the show is over. Details day of show.

June 12<sup>th</sup>-7 PM-Monthly meeting at Eavers Museum.

June 18<sup>th</sup>-1PM. Club picnic at Wildwood Park in Bridgewater. The Club will be meeting in Waynesboro for those folks who'd like to caravan, at the **Park N Ride**, to drive over to Bridgewater. Bring a covered dish and your choice of drinks. The Club will provide paper products.

July 6<sup>th</sup>- Stuarts Draft Parade. Terry Marshall is setting this up, and for more info. please contact him @ 540-943-7227.

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## **Other Events**

May 28<sup>th</sup>- Wrights Dairy Wright Cruise In. 5-8PM. I wasn't able to get on their website, but this was the time from last year. Please check to make sure it is still being held at this time. Get there early for a spot!

June 17<sup>th</sup>-Weyers Cave car and truck show. Gates open at 10AM. Trophies to be awarded. There will be a parade at 6PM. Dash plaques given to participants.

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## **Trivia and Fun Facts**

Last month's question asked what year was the last for the ZR1. Did ya get the answer?  
The answer is 1995!

This month's question: In the 92 models, a new generation small block engine was used. What was it?

Did you know that in May 02, a 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary coupe was driven by actor Jim Caviezel in the Indianapolis 500?

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## **For Sale**

1969 Red Corvette Coupe: T-Tops, and a luggage rack. Contact Larry Boyers @ 540-292-5789.

**Blast from the Past:** Phil Kania handed me a copy of an old newsletter at the May meeting. The newsletter was called The Ridge Runner; it was from September 79! Phil was the President at the time, along with Daniel Early, Vice, Henry Fitzgerald, Treasurer, Jean Hiner and Carolyn Fitzgerald Secretaries, and Wanda & Mike O'Kelley as Newsletter Editors. An event that the Club attended was the grand opening of Mickey's Corvette Center. The Club had also had their very first Annual Funkana at Baugher Chevy. The Club had an Activity Committee at the time, and the monthly meetings were held at the Augusta County Firehouse on Rt. 250. The newsletter was just one page long at the time! Thanks Phil for sharing this with the Club!

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## **Reminders**

Blue Ridge Corvette Club meets on the second Monday of each month @ 7PM at Eavers Classic Car Museum, I-81, Exit 217, Mint Spring, VA.

Parking Reminder: When attending the club meetings at Eavers, please don't park directly in front of the store on the concrete. There is space for about 4 cars to park in front on the right side, facing the building. You may park along side the building to the right or on the left side. Please keep the area along the retaining wall open. These areas need to be kept open for customers and deliveries.

If you learn of a significant event or situation affecting a club member or immediate family member; i.e.- births, death, serious illness; please notify B. or Joyce Martin so that a card can be sent from our club. 540-832-3540 or email bemartin22942@yahoo.com. Please remember to check to see if an event is still being held, or if any changes have been made before leaving especially in inclement weather situations. You can check the club website or contact Rick Hicklin.

When contacting prospective members, please be sure you have the current member application to hand out. The current application lists Curt Glover as the contact person. New members may be brought in at any time throughout the year. Applications can be obtained online, or at the monthly meetings. We also have business cards you may pass out. These are available only at the monthly meetings.

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## **Club Officers**

**Rick Hicklin: President; 540-949-4924-wk; 540-248-1748-hm**

**Phil Kania: Vice President; 540-887-8460; PMKania@aol.com**

**Mary Faye Cason: Secretary; 540-886-7737**

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