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Ron and Jan's new (new to them) C7



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President's Report September 2021



Our club owns a trailer that is used to store a variety of items that are used for our Dreamvettes show, the club flags, tents and numerous other items. The trailer had been stored on the property of John and Roxanne Chiusolo. The trailer has recently been relocated to the property of Paul and Shirley Arsenault. Thank you John and Roxanne. Thank you Paul and Shirley.

On August 14th a dozen or so hardy Corvettes set off on a cruise to the Raven's for an afternoon of socializing and a BBQ. The afternoon was complete with a scrumptious buffet of salads, BBQ burgers and dogs, two raffles and a 50/50 draw and lots of camaraderie and conversation. The weather was picture perfect and a great time was had by

all in attendance.

Corvette Diva Day cruise to Brighton is on September 11th. Last year's event was a fun day and we expect more of the same this year.

The next General Meeting on September 15 will be held at the Royal Ashburn Golf Club.

The last meeting at Royal Ashburn was well attended with a full parking lot of Corvettes for golfers and diners to look at, and look they did. Great food and socializing and a brief meeting made for a very enjoyable event. Looking for to another great event at this venue.

We are planning a cruise to Peterborough on September 18th, followed by lunch on the waterfront. One of the three mini cruises held earlier this year was to Peterborough for lunch on the waterfront at the Holiday Inn. It was a very enjoyable day with nice scenery and a great lunch. Based on member feedback we've decided to do it again on a bigger scale.

Two more events of interest, Dreamvettes is scheduled for September 26th and the Fall Cruise to Picton for a BBQ at Frank & Jo Anne DiLorenzo's will take place on October 2nd.

Enjoy reading the newsletter!

Anne Halverson



Corvettes of Durham was established in 2000. We meet on the third Wednesday of every month at 7:30 pm but have cancelled our site meetings due to COVID restrictions. During the summer months, we arrange 'offsite meetings' and cruise to different locations. If you have a favourite restaurant suitable for a meeting, please let one of the COD Executive know.

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September Birthdays

Avril DeBattista Denise Ciaralli	2nd 8th
Ron Boulter	11th
Suzanne Ralph	11th
Jerry Kowal	16th
Jacquie Mackie	21st
Anthony Smith	23rd
Terry Nodwell	27th
Dave Raven	30th





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A big thank you to Dave and Jan Raven for arranging the August General Meeting at their estate. Good job on the food and the weather and thanks to all the helpers.

The Autofest Road Tour had 179 cars registered including 6 from Corvettes of Durham. A 5 ½ hour tour took us up to Bobcaygeon and through some very scenic countryside. There were 7 stops along the way with water, draw prize tickets and facilities...great day.



Saturday night Canadian Tire cruise, well over 150 cars. Ron Boulter is now out of the hospital. We all wish you a speedy recovery Ron, get well soon





The Silver 1963 Corvette Split Window Coupe owned by the late Neil Peart of Rush was sold for **\$368,000** at Gooding & Company's Pebble Beach Auction. The Corvette features a 327/340 horsepower L76 V8 engine, hooked to a Muncie M20 four-speed manual.

Dreamvettes 2021 has been cancelled due to Covid numbers rising. Details of upcoming events will be announced at the next general meeting.

The VanDusen 'show' is cancelled and been replaced with PRCC Charity Drive on Saturday, September 18 in the Durham Region. They will welcome friends and folks from other clubs to join so hold the date if you're interested.

















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Mechanically it's running like a dream! It has a few cosmetic items like paint chip on the nose and cracked T-top since the day bought.

Last year, it received service for new tires, aluminum rad, distributor, power steering motor and brake work. This spring it had a new fuel pump installed"

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August General Meeting

The August GM was held on Saturday August 14th and started with a cruise up to the Raven Estate. Ron led the cruise starting from Oshawa with his new 2019 C-7. A little heavy on the pedal but no one complained. A beautiful day for the cruise most had their tops down...on the Corvettes pervs. As usual the big attraction was the BBQ and Anne directed the shortest meeting to date. Ron Langlois won everything but donated one raffle prize back to the club which I won...and didn't give it back. A huge thank you to Jan and Dave Raven and all the helpers for the venue and the BBQ lunch/dinner (linner?) and to Peter Ball for checking the uncooked burgers...hope you survived the raw burger Peter. The September meeting to be held at Royal Ashburn, details to follow in the September newsletter.

























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Autofest Road Tour 2021

Saturday August 28, 2021



COD lined up...ready to roll.



179 cars registered with 2 routes to follow



COD 'RED' route that took approximately 5 ¹/₂ hours to complete with 7 stops along the way.



5 COD Corvettes...John, Alan, Carl and Sue, Brian and Anita, and Brent. Gus took the Firebird and was off checking the keg of beer he just won.

Thanks to the MotorCity Car Club for getting us out of the house and into our cars

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2021 Events Calendar

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT	LOCATION	TIME
Sun Sept 5th	Brampton Corvette	Hazel Carson	Spot 1 Bar and Grill Brampton	10am-1pm
Sat Sept 11th	Corvette Diva Day	Roxanne Chiusolo	Brighton & Wellington	9:45 am
Sept 15th	General Meeting	Anne Halverson	Royal Ashburn G&CC	6:00pm
Sat Sept 18th	Pineridge Corvette	Les James	PRCC Cruise Details to follow	ТВА
Sat Sept 18th	Peterborough Cruise	Anne Halverson	Tim's Harmony and Taunton	ТВА
Sun Sept 26st	DREAMVETTES	Ken Gordon		CANCELLED
Sat Oct 2nd	Fall Cruise	Anne Halverson	Frankies Farm Picton	ТВА

****All dates are tentative based on Covid-19 restrictions****









