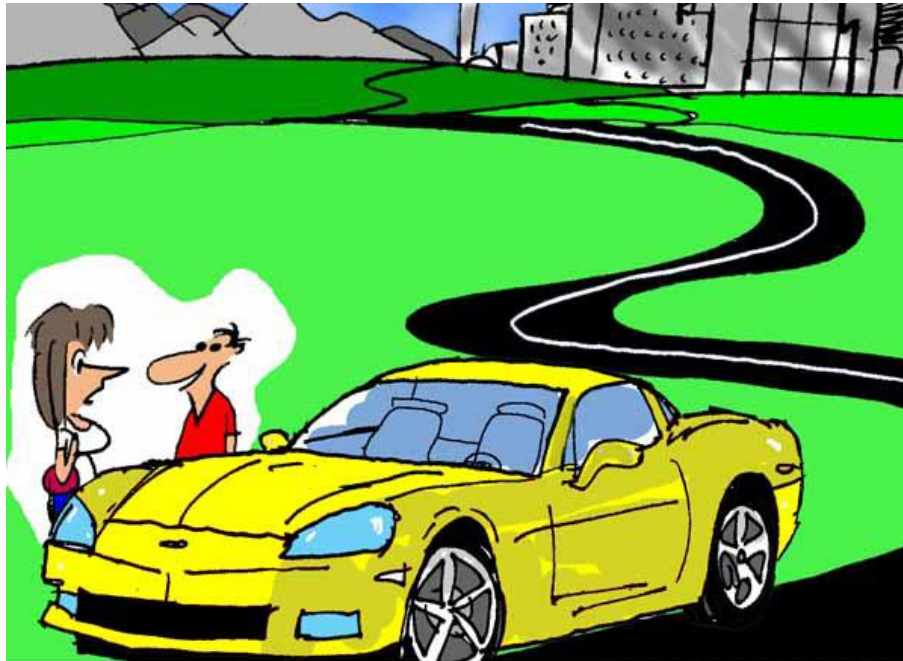


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# President's Report

**By Ken Gordon**

Hi Everyone!

February's weather was a crazy rollercoaster. I saw one lonely Corvette on one of the nice days. We'll have ours out soon.

Marilyn & I steel cruised up to Wasaga Beach to watch the Daytona 500 with family & friends (would have preferred to be in Daytona). There were several large wrecks, but it's always exciting to watch.

For car lovers I encourage you all to attend Motorama this weekend at the International Center (Friday March 10<sup>th</sup> - Sunday March 12<sup>th</sup>). Brian Lindow has been very busy organizing the Corvettes of Durham display. Our area will have 6 Vettes on display and thanks to our sponsor G & G Electronics we'll have a video playing of past & present members and various shows & events. Brian needs volunteers to hand out flyers for Quad C and basically cover the booth to answer any questions regarding C.O.D. & Quad C. If you can spare the time to help please call Brian at 647-237-8209 or me at 289-923-8333.

The club started the month off with our 1st Euchre night of 2017. Last weekend 28 showed up at the Italian Social Club for hours of fun, good food & laughter. Cathy and her helpers had prizes etc. and of course 50/50 (won by Lori). Great job by everyone involved!

Cruise season is upon us. Cathy has arranged for us to enjoy a "Taste of Port Perry" in our steel cars or, weather permitting, a Corvette or two. The cruise date is Saturday March 25<sup>th</sup>; please let Cathy or Jan know by March 20<sup>th</sup> if you plan to join in the fun.

Please check the newsletter for more details regarding upcoming events & shows.

Our next General Meeting is Wednesday March 15<sup>th</sup> at the Pickering Lone Star.

Thanks,  
Ken



**Corvettes of Durham** was established in 2000. We meet on the third Wednesday every month at 7:30 pm. 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 the social convenor know.

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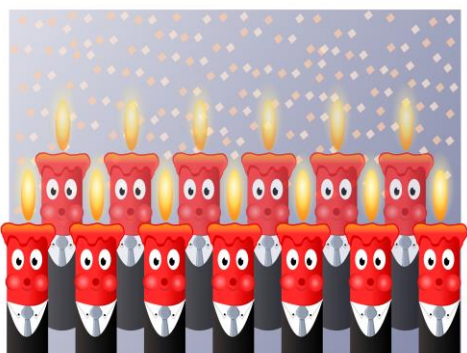
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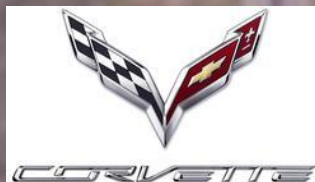
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Editor's page:

**COD members** – if you're planning to attend **Dream Vettes** on June 25<sup>th</sup>, please complete the registration form (found on page 7 of this newsletter) and submit to Dorothy Gagnon. There is **no fee** for **Dream Vettes** – your paid 2017 COD membership fee covers the **Dream Vettes** fee.

Got a newsy story or photos to share? You can reach me at [suewoo@sympatico.ca](mailto:suewoo@sympatico.ca).



Sue



***Good News!***



Ontario now has a Caravan Captain and Co-Captain for the 2019 Caravan!

In the coming weeks an Ontario Caravan page will be available on the NCM website showing the names of the Captain and Co-Captain. In the meantime, plans are underway to complete the Caravan Team. Please watch for more Caravan news about who will lead us to Bowling Green to celebrate the Museum's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.



***COMING SOON!!***



Once again COD has a booth at the 2017 MOTORAMA held at the International Centre from Friday March 10 through Sunday March 12.

Everything you could imagine on 2, 3, 4 wheels or more...plus vendor booths, food and prizes to be won! **Volunteers are still needed** to cover our booth during the show, so why not come out, lend a hand and support our club and fellow COD members who are participating. Please contact Brian Lindow or Ken Gordon to volunteer; their contact info is on page 3. Location and hours etc. can be found online at: <http://www.motoramashow.com/>. Hope to see you there!



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# UPDATE FROM CATHY NUNNO SOCIAL DIRECTOR



Socially..... COD News      There is LOTS, so read  to the END, please!

Well, it will soon be time to get out the Corvette cleaning equipment and wipe off the winter dust!

COD's Social calendar is getting fuller now too!

Hope that the events we plan will be appealing adventures for you to join.

As always, please **RSVP** for events. The venues we select do ask us for our numbers so they can plan staffing and food requirements.

## 1. CARDS /SOCIAL NIGHT



- Saturday March 4 at the **Italian Social Club** Simcoe Street South in Oshawa. Cards start at 7pm so arrive a little earlier. Cost is \$15. pp.
- Light snacks, coffee, tea, pop, and water will be provided. Cash bar available. Payment due that night.

## 2. GOODBYE to WINTER STEEL CRUISE



Are you ready to say "**\*GOODBYE  to  WINTER\***"? Then please join us for our

## **CORVETTES of DURHAM STEEL CRUISE**

** A Taste of Port Perry **

on **Saturday March 25, 2017.**

We'll gather at 9:30 at **White Feather Country Store** on the southeast corner of Simcoe St. and Raglan Rd. You'll be able to grab a coffee there and wander around this quaint little village store.



We'll leave there at approximately 10:00 after we've all regrouped, heading north along Simcoe St. to just outside Port Perry to the **Trading Post**, another country store.

After about 20-30 minutes at Trading Post, we'll travel south along Simcoe St. back into Port Perry to **Old Flame Brewery** with parking behind the brewery in the big lot. We will do a tour of this historic site and beer tasting is an option for us at a cost of \$5.35 a person for a taste of 3 beers (payable there). This takes about an hour.

About 12:15 , weather permitting we will do a short walk to Queen Street, where we could visit **The Nutty Chocolatier** or just do a little tour of Queen Street, the main street (a very small street).

Once finished, we will head to our lunch venue, **The Port Perry Smokehouse** on Hwy 7A just east of Simcoe Street and 3 blocks west of Water St. We will order from the Smokehouse Menu.

We'll have a 50/50 and prizes. Hope you can come out for some

## **"Corvette Club Fun!"**.

Please **RSVP** to Jan at [furryface@powergate.ca](mailto:furryface@powergate.ca) or Cathy at [stingraysocial@gmail.com](mailto:stingraysocial@gmail.com) **by Monday March 20** so we can relay our numbers.

### **3. SPRING CRUISE**

- **Woodlawn Inn** in Cobourg. Sunday April 30, 2017
- Time and meeting place TBA
- Cost is \$25. pp with a subsidy from COD. All drinks are extra. Taxes and Gratuities are included in the \$25.
- Lunch Buffet includes, Soup of the Day, Mixed salads, Pasta, Roast Beef, Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Potatoes, Veggies, Dessert.
- **RSVP and Payment due by April 19 General Meeting.**

#### 4. GOLF EVENT



- Playing at **Royal Ashburn**, June 13<sup>th</sup>; coordinated by "FLORIDA" Mike Tillaart.
- Golf, cart and dinner is \$70.06 pp.
- Dinner only is \$28-\$35. pp.

#### 5. OFF SITE MEETINGS (dinner any time after 5pm and meetings start at 7:30)

**RSVP Needed for all Off Site meetings except July.**

Wednesday May 17 at **Swiss Chalet** (Ajax) Salem and Taunton Rds.

Wednesday June 21 at **Royal Ashburn**

Wednesday July 19 at **Big M** Liverpool Rd South, Pickering

**\*\*\*\* Saturday August 19 at Frank and Joanne's Farm in Picton \*\*\*\***

- **POT LUCK EVENT**

**NO WEDNESDAY AUGUST GENERAL MEETING**

#### 6. CANADA DAY Canada's 150th Birthday



- Scarborough...if they plan one. Joe D is not back from Florida yet.
- Port Perry....Vettes for Vets! More details to follow.

#### 7. FALL CRUISE



- **To BURLEIGH FALLS INN.....a small historic Inn**
- Saturday October 21-Sunday October 22
- Only 20 rooms available and being held for us till August 21.

- Rooms are first come first served. Please fill in a reservation form (on the page following this report) and send to the Inn.
- Cost is \$318 per couple including taxes, gratuities, 3 meals and an entertainment area. It is a licensed facility so if you BYOB ... it is for your own room or outside area. The menu for our meals is still under construction.

**CONGRATULATIONS** 🍼 to Robert and Anne Halverson on the birth of their first grandchild....a boy, Ryland Halverson. Ryland will need a Kidz Corvette!

and

**CONGRATULATIONS** 🍼 to Mike and Michelle Tillaart on the birth of a new grandchild. Another Kidz Corvette will be needed.

A BIG **CONGRATULATIONS**

to 🧑🧑 **Terry and Doreen Nodwell**

👫 who are celebrating ❤️❤️ 50 years ❤️❤️ of marriage....yes, they made it to their solid GOLD anniversary. We wish you many, many more years of love, happiness, joy and good health!



**Congratulations** to Walter and Pauline Edwards on the birth of their new puppies! 🐶 🐶 🐶

**Congratulations** to Joanne and Frank Di Lorenzo who have adopted a miniature horse 🐎....we will get to see it in August.

**\*\*\*\*\* Don't forget to check the enclosed form for reserving**

**your Fall Cruise room!!! \*\*\*\*\***

**Hope to see you at ALL our events!**

Thanks,

Cathy and Jan

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Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ PC \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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**Entrees**

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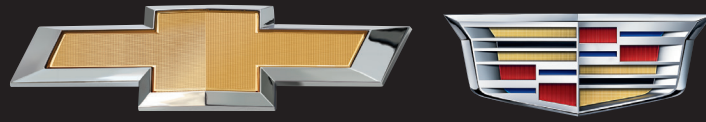
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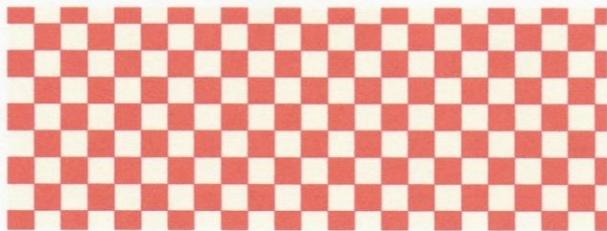
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*ROCCO'S CORNER*  
*March, 2017*



Did you know that:

- not all models of the Chevrolet Corvette are referred to as “Sting Ray” or “Stingray”
- the C2 Corvette “Sting Ray” was first introduced in 1963
- the nameplate “Sting Ray” was used on the C2 Corvettes until 1967
- the nameplate “Sting Ray” was not used on the 1968 Corvette but Chevrolet still referred to the 1968 model as a “Sting Ray”
- in 1969 Chevrolet changed the nameplate on the Corvette
- the 1969 nameplate on the Corvette was changed from the 2-word “Sting Ray” to the 1-word “Stingray”
- the one-word nameplate “Stingray” was used on the C3 Corvettes until 1976



- the “Stingray” lettering was removed from the Corvettes in 1977



*ROCCO'S CORNER*  
*March, 2017*



- the C7 (2014) Chevrolet Corvette was the first Corvette to bear the name “Stingray” name since the C3 1976 model



**NOTE:** in my February 2017 Rocco’s Corner, I used the heading “1953 Corvette Sting Ray – The Birth of America’s Sports Car”.

Congratulations to Ron Tremblay who was the one and only Corvette enthusiast to point out the fact that the 1953 Corvette was not a “Sting Ray” or a “Stingray”. Ron knows his Corvettes. It is good to see that someone reads my articles.



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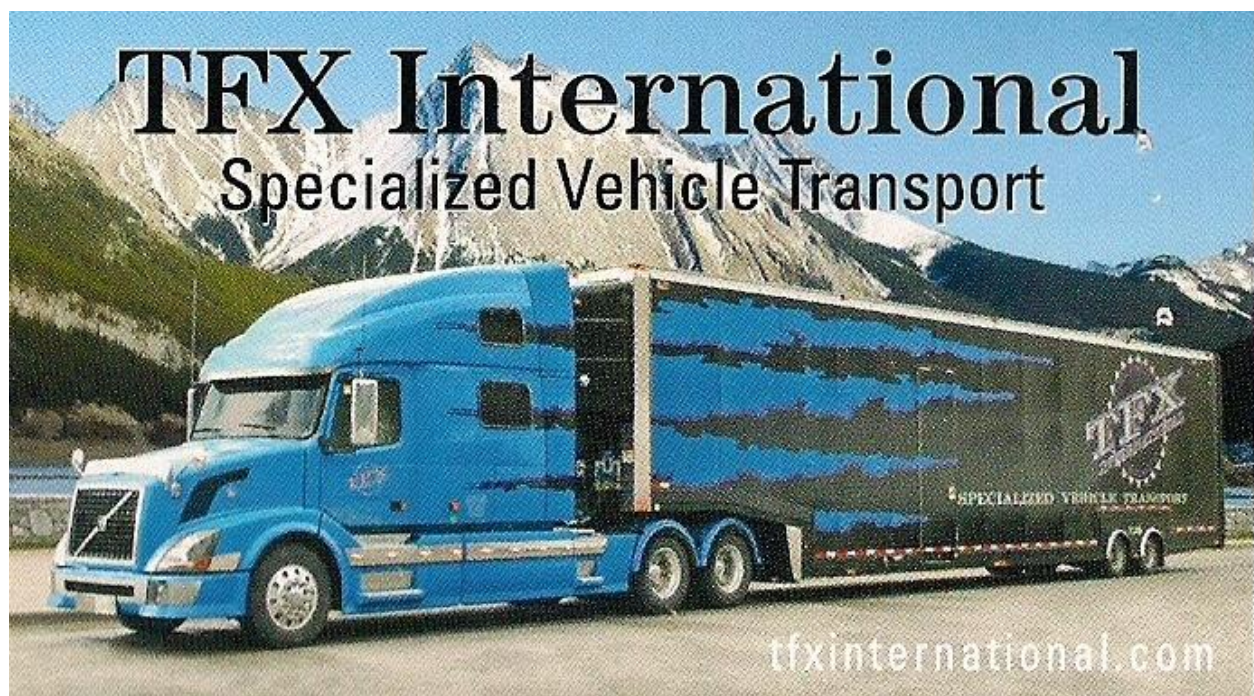


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## AMBASSADOR

**The Bash** is coming up soon - April 27 to 29 inclusive and registration is still open. Click the "**Read more**" link below to read about the Bash and the various activities taking place, including the Ladies' Oasis. If you're anxious to see the new 2018 Vettes, this is where and when they will be unveiled.

Please note that **touring laps** at the NCM Motorsports Park are available only on the day before the Bash opens; \$90/Corvette for a full day of laps.

### **Michelin NCM Bash @ National Corvette Museum**

**\*\*REGISTRATION OPEN\*\***

Apr 27 - Apr 29 **all-day**

[Read more](#)

## **C4 GATHERING**

The National Corvette Museum hosts the C4 Gathering along with the ZR-1 Net Registry <http://www.zr1netregistry.com/> and the Grand Sport Registry <http://www.grandsportregistry.com/>. Open to all those interested in the 4th Generation Corvette, these two organizations and the NCM are working to bring participants activities, seminars, a special guided plant/museum tour, MSP track day and information specific to their interest in this generation of Corvette.

### **C4 Gathering @ National Corvette Museum**

**\*\*REGISTRATION WILL OPEN at END of MARCH\*\***

May 18-20 **all-day**



## Le Mans 24 Hour Viewing Party @ National Corvette Museum

Have you ever wanted to attend the 24 Hours of Le Mans race in person, but can't? The Le Mans race is the world's oldest active endurance sports car race, run near the French town of Le Mans annually since 1923. The NCM will be *only 1* of four venues in the world where the *entire* 24 hour race will be telecast live! The Corvette team, in quiet moments throughout the race, will address the Museum audience and bring fans up to date with what's happening! Breakfasts, lunch, snacks and dinner are provided...take your pillow and blanket, stay up overnight and watch the whole race with other racing enthusiasts!!

Click the "**Read more**" link below to read about the

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## Plant Tours

With the pending closure of the Bowling Green Assembly Plant this summer for approximately three to four months, Museum visitors will be disappointed that a tour of the nearby plant won't be possible. **June 16** is the last date available for tours, according to the NCM's online Plant Tour ticket order site.

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**Exhibits @ National Corvette Museum.** Here is a list, taken from the Museum website, of upcoming exhibits you may be interested in seeing:

**CALLAWAY CORVETTES**

**JANUARY 13, 2017 – MAY 5, 2017**

A celebration of 40 years of Callaway Cars, an engine design company that is known for its modification of Chevrolet cars, the Corvette sport cars in particular, especially their twin-turbo kit that became a dealer option and their record breaking Corvette Sledgehammer car.

## **GREENWOOD CORVETTES**

**MAY 12, 2017 – SEPTEMBER 8, 2017**

Greenwood Corvettes is an American automotive performance tuning and racing company specializing in Corvette sportscars and race cars founded by automotive enthusiasts and professional race car drivers, American brothers Burt and John Greenwood. This exhibit will feature examples of their work.

## **MILITARY VEHICLES**

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Featuring a number of military vehicles.

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## **ON-GOING EXHIBITS:**

### **CORVETTE CAVE-IN: THE SKYDOME SINKHOLE EXPERIENCE**

A semi-permanent exhibit to tell the story of our February 12, 2014 sinkhole in the Museum's Skydome which swallowed eight Corvettes. [Learn more here](#).

### **ANNIVERSARY AND SPECIAL EDITION CORVETTES**

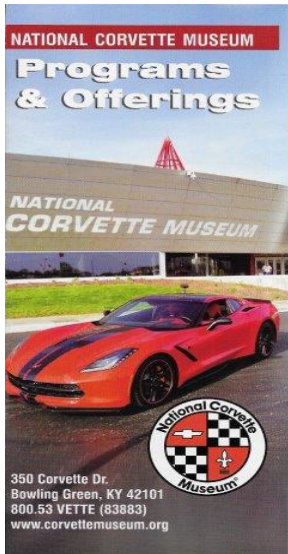
Visit our Skydome to see our display of Chevrolet's Anniversary Corvettes and various Special Edition Corvettes. Exhibited includes: 1978 Silver/25th Anniversary Corvette; 1993 40th Anniversary Corvette; 2003 50th Anniversary Corvette; 2013 60th Anniversary Corvette; 2012 Chevrolet Centennial Edition.

### **AUDIO TOUR**

The Museum offers a complimentary audio tour that can be downloaded (or streamed) to any mobile device or MP3 player. Click the button below to access the full audio tour, or go to our [Audio Tour page](#) to access each stop in the Museum.

**\*\*For a full list of all Museum events in the next few months, please check the NCM website ([www.corvettemuseum.org](http://www.corvettemuseum.org)) under the Events tab.\*\***

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Here is the link for the race schedule, results and news:

<http://www.corvetteracing.com/about-2/>. The site also shows a history of Corvette Racing from 1999 to the present.

## Corvette Racing Receives Invitations to the 2017 24 Hours of Le Mans!!

The Corvette team will race once again at the 24 Hours of Le Mans - one of "the" prestigious races in the world! They will compete against an almost identical list of 13 entries from 2016 in the GTE-Pro (professional) class, including Ford, Ferrari, Aston Martin and Porsche. Invitations



for the June 17-18 race are required to race at Le Mans; Corvette received their invitation in February.

In addition, a French team, Larbre Competition, running in the GTE-AM (amateur) category will race this year and feature Ricky Taylor as part of its driver lineup. Ricky is no stranger to Corvette Racing fans.

Prior to Le Mans, upcoming races will be the "12 Hours of Sebring" held at Sebring, Florida March 15 to 18, inclusive, Long Beach, Texas and Watkins Glen and locally at Canadian Tire Motorsports Park July 6 to 9, inclusive.

Always be sure to purchase a Corvette Corral ticket and enjoy the extras your Corral ticket offers - guest appearances by the race team (drivers & manager) with a Corral-only car show, tech talks by Corvette Racing sponsor reps, parade laps, a goody bag, door prizes, snacks & cold beverages and lunch on race day - all included in the price of your Corral ticket. And enjoy, too, the comradery of new Corvette friends from different parts of Canada and the US!

↓ Carl & Joe at Watkins Glen, 2016.



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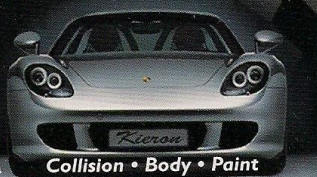
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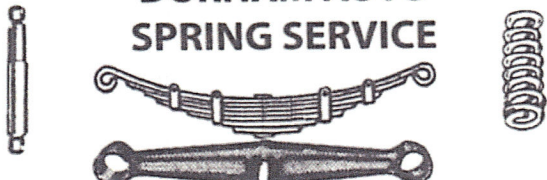
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## 2017 Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT	LOCATION	TIME
Mar 4	Social/Euchre/Games Night	Cathy Nunno	Italian Club, Oshawa 245 Simcoe St. S, Oshawa	Arrive by 6:30 pm
Mar 10-12	Motorama	Brian Lindow or Ken Gordon	International Centre	
Mar 12	NCRS Ontario Swap Meet	Ron Langlois	Wilson Niblett GM, Richmond Hill	8:00 am – 12 pm
Mar 25	Steel Cruise – “A Taste of Port Perry”	Cathy Nunno or Jan Raven	White Feather Country Store – meeting place	9:30 am
Mar 15	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	Lone Star Grill, Pickering	7:30 pm
Apr 19	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	TBD	7:30 pm
Apr 30	Spring Cruise	Cathy Nunno	Woodlawn Inn, Cobourg RSVP and pay by April 19th	12:00 pm
May 17	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	Swiss Chalet, Salem & Taunton Roads, Ajax	7:30 pm
May 19-21	Victoria Day Speedfest Weekend	Ron Tremblay	Canadian Tire Motorsport Park, Bowmanville	
June 3	Corvette Display	Ken Gordon	Boyer GM, Pickering	10:00 am – 3:00 pm
June 9	NCRS Ontario Judging	Ron Langlois	Wilson Niblett GM, Richmond Hill	8:00 am – 12 pm
June 13	COD Golf Tournament	Mike Tillaart	Royal Ashburn Golf Club	3:00 pm – 8:00 pm
June 21	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	Royal Ashburn Golf Club	7:30 pm
June 25	DreamVettes	Bruce Gagnon	Ontario Motor Sales, Oshawa	
July 1	Canada Day Parades		Port Perry Scarborough TBD	
July 5	Race Fest	Ron Tremblay	Dundas Square, Toronto	11:00 am – 2:00 pm
July 6-9	Mobil1 Sportscar Grand Prix	Norby Dippold	Canadian Tire Motorsport Park, Bowmanville	
July 16	Brampton Corvette Club show	Brian Lindow	Bramalea Lions Park \$20 registration	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 pm
July 19	General Meeting	Ken Gordon	Big M, Liverpool Road S, Pickering	7:30 pm
Aug 19-20	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	Farm/home of Frank & Joanne Di Lorenzo, Picton ON	
Aug 26-27	Autofest	Linda Landry	Lakeview Park, Oshawa	
Sept 20	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	TBD	7:30 pm
Oct 18	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	TBD	7:30 pm
Oct 21-22	Fall Cruise	Cathy Nunno	Burleigh Falls Inn Hwy. 28, Burleigh Falls ON	
Nov 15	General Meeting	Cathy Nunno	TBD	7:30 pm
Nov 25	COD Christmas Party	Cathy Nunno	Deer Creek Golf Club, Ajax	5:30 pm

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**CCCC Event – check with Brian Lindow or John Robinson**

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