



Westchester Corvette Club

Meeting Minutes February 3, 2026

Club Officers (2026-2027)

Richard Sarcone, *President*
Peter LoPresti, *Vice President*
Rich Morgante, *Treasurer*
Vincent Camporeale, *Secretary*

ATTENDEES (20): Anthony DeGrandi, Eric Canova, Joe Covais, Rich Sarcone, Dennis Pennino, Nick Cavaluzzi, Frank Suppa, Pete LoPresti, Dennis Tedesco, Joe Raffaele, Chase DeRose, Arthur Brunwasser, Len Bologna, Michael Wade, Don Baisley, Sal Carlino, Eddie Condura, Bob Giglio, Renzo Scipioni, Joe Suppa.

GUESTS: None.

Rich Sarcone, President, called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

The meeting was opened by reviewing the previous minutes from Jan. 6th, 2026.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. **Finance Committee** – Rich Morgante, Chairman

- The Treasurer, Rich Morgante, was not present to report. In his place, Rich Sarcone reported approximately \$6,700 was in our account.

2. **Web Committee** – Dennis Pennino, Chairman

- The Spring Car Show poster/flyer is pending completion awaiting naming of the Show Sponsor.
- Mass emails regarding our Spring show will be sent out to the Club's email list beginning in April. We currently have 1,250+ subscribers on our GoDaddy mailing list.

3. **Shows Committee** – No Chairperson (Committee of the Whole)

- Our Spring Car Show is scheduled for Sunday, May 3rd at the [Auto Center](#) in Chappaqua. The rain date is Sun. May 17th at the same location.
- A motion was made and carried to name [Gullotta House](#) again as the selected charity for this show. Gullotta House is expected to set up a table at the show and will likely advertise the car show on its Facebook page. The founder and president Matthew



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Gullotta is expected to be present to receive the club's donation check during the trophy presentations.

- Currently there is no official Sponsor for the Spring Car Show. A sponsor will need to be nominated and accepted at the March monthly meeting. Sponsorship cost is \$350.00.
 - Subsequent to the Feb. meeting, Ed Condura proposed that the [Marine Corp. League, Westchester County Detachment #254](#) would like to be the sponsor and would be agreeable to the \$350 fee. This will need to be voted on at the March 3rd meeting.
- A new disc jockey (DJ) for the day was confirmed by Anthony DeGrandi.
- The Car Show Poster/Flyer will be prepared by Dennis P. once the club decides on an official Sponsor. Don Baisley will assist in having the flyers printed.
- Food will again be provided by [A&S Marketplace](#) in Mt. Kisco.
- Like previous shows, there should be multiple vendors attending selling various types of merchandise.
- Show car judging will be subjective and will be conducted by 5 judges picking 10 cars each. Club members cannot enter their cars in the show. Trophy awards will start at 2:00pm at the latest.
- Approximately 50 trophies are expected to be awarded. In addition to the usual large "People's Choice", "Best in Show", and "Auto Center Choice" trophies, the following new categories will be added each with a special trophy:
 - *Best Import*
 - *Best Convertible*
 - *Best Paint*
 - *Best Interior*
 - *Best Vanity Plate*



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- Based on prior experience, special attention is necessary to ensure the People's Choice voting remains fair.

4. By-Laws Committee – Dennis Pennino, Chairman

- No items in progress.

5. Events / Cruises Committee – Dennis Tedesco, Chairman

- The following updates were announced by Dennis T.:
 - Annual C1 Run – Sunday, April 26th to White Castle in Nanuet on Rt. 59.
 - June 2026 – no club runs currently scheduled. If anyone has any cruise ideas for 2026, please send them to Dennis T. for consideration.
 - Annual Club Picnic – Saturday, July 11th at Reis Park in Somers. The July Monthly Meeting will also be held at Reis Park the following Monday, July 13th.
 - Chicken Run – Saturday, August 8th to Wright's Farm, Burrillville, RI.
 - Mystery Run – Tentatively scheduled for September; may be moved to June this year.
 - Trip to Bowling Green, KY. Discussions were held regarding planning a potential trip to the [Corvette Museum](#) and [Assembly Plant](#) in Bowling Green, KY in the Fall during the week of Sept. 21st (likely 9/24 to 9/29). Dennis T. sent out an interest sheet. The drive would be 14+ hours each way. If flying, members would need to rent a car in KY. Planning for this trip is continuing.
 - Fall Foliage Run – Scheduled for Sat. Oct. 24th to Howe Caverns. This would be about a 3 hour run each way.
 - Event Committee Meeting – The next meeting date was not announced.



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OLD BUSINESS:

- **Corvette Thunder in the Glen Festival, Watkins Glen, NY** will be held on May 15 and May 16 (Fri. & Sat). There are currently at least 5 members going. Contact Don Baisley if interested.
- **Back to the Beach Corvette Weekend at Old Orchard Beach, Maine** - tentatively will be held in June in a limited fashion. Contact Don Baisley if interested.
- **Corvettes at Carlisle** – Thurs. Aug. 27 to Sat. Aug. 29, 2026
 - <https://carlislepafairgrounds.com/project/corvettes-at-carlisle/>
 - Joe Covais reported that there are still a few hotel rooms available.... Contact Joe if interested. Joe also stated there was no firm decision made regarding buying or renting a BBQ grill. There are also a few tickets still available out of a block of 25 that were previously purchased. Contact Rich Dolce if interested.
- **Curry Chevrolet Discounts**. Still no update on whether Curry will offer discounts to club members on vehicles and/or service.
- **Selling WCC Merchandise**. Dennis P. previously suggested that the club website be set up to sell WCC branded merchandise, e.g., caps, shirts, jackets, etc. to earn the club extra funds. No action taken to date.
- **Club Shirts** – A club shirt ordering form was passed out at the meeting by Dennis T. Contact Dennis T. if interested in ordering an embroidered club shirt.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Anniversary Dinner** – Anthony DiGrandi stated due to the success of the 60th Anniversary Dinner that the club should consider holding a 65th Anniversary Dinner. This idea was tabled until we get closer to 2030.



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SUNSHINE:

- None.

NEW MEMBERS:

- No new members joined the Club this month.

NEXT MEETNG:

- Our next monthly club meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 3rd, 2026 at 6:00pm** at Curry Chevrolet on Central Avenue in Scarsdale.

Since there was no additional business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 6:31pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

Dennis P. Pennino (for Vincent Camporeale, Secretary)

February 9th, 2026