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Notice to CCNS membership to advise that there will be a meeting held just prior to the prize presentation at the 2019 Maritime Meet, Saturday, July 20th for the purpose of voting on the following proposed constitutional amendment:

ARTICLE VII

Section 1. Fiscal Year

The Fiscal Year of the Club shall be from ~~January 1st to December 31st.~~
October 1st to September 30th.

The Treasurer is recommending that the fiscal year end of the Club be changed to September 30th for the following reasons:

- 1) CCNS is required to submit annual financial statements to Joint Stocks which reflect the club status within 30 days of an AGM, however with the current fiscal year end of the club being December 31st, fiscal year end financial statements are also produced. This makes for duplicate and unnecessary work.
- 2) A September 30 year end would allow club members to vote on true fiscal year financial statements at the October AGM instead of non-fiscal year financials.

Please submit any questions or feedback regarding this proposed change before the Meet to expedite the voting process. Email Rick: r.latimer@ns.sympatico.ca or Ivan: ivanhines@yahoo.ca

Ivan Hines, President

Is This Your Final CCNS Newsletter?

CCNS membership fees were due by May 31st. Those who have not renewed should do so right away in order to remain on the CCNS mailing list. So don't delay. Cheques payable to the "Corvette Club of Nova Scotia" can be mailed to Rick Latimer, 249 Freshwater Trail, Dartmouth, NS B2W 0G6 or an e-transfer can be sent to Rick at r.latimer@ns.sympatico.ca.

New CCNS Members:

Wade & Tammi Grandy, Middle Sackville: 2015 Blue Coupe
Ernie & Susan Pierce, Shelburne: 97 Red Coupe

Now at: 109 members, of which 5 are lifetime members – 131 cars!

President's Message



To Drive or to Save?!

There's Black and White and shades of Grey on this topic. Some Corvette owner daily drive their car in all sorts of weather OR track their car to it's full potential. Then there's people that shine and cover and rarely bring their Vette out to play. And of course in between – folks who enjoy the American Icon but always respect it just as much.

Whether it's because you couldn't afford the repair bill or your passion for this amazing car – the thought of abusing a Corvette is out of the question.

Most Corvette won't hold their value so babying them might seem a waste. Perhaps you never plan to sell your ride(s) so you want to keep them in the best shape possible.

I find myself leaning more towards the Black end of the spectrum – I ❤️ my Vettes and the thoughts of hitting a deer (again 😬) or a common car accident is terrifying. I find myself not driving as much as I'd like because of this fear. But when I get behind the wheel, the urge to unleash the beast is hard to control.

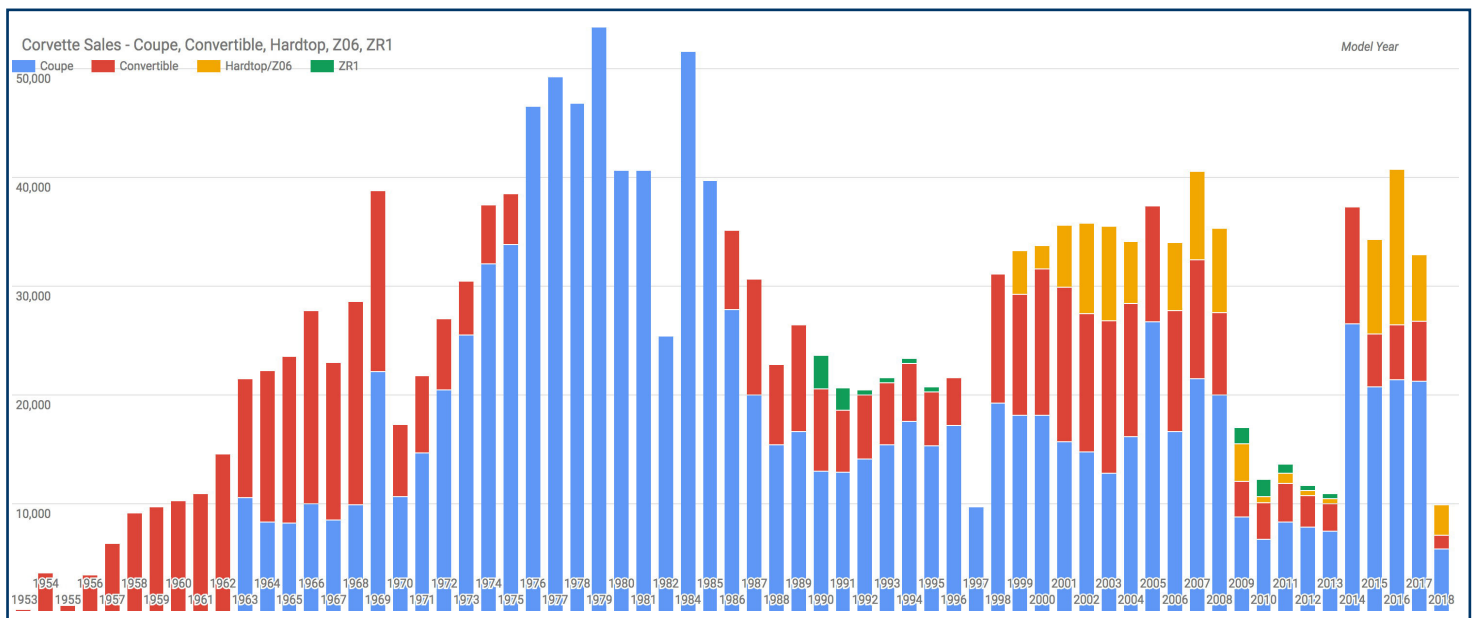
We all have our opinions and they are all valid – it's YOUR Corvette after all.

Enjoy them, be safe with them and be proud you own such a magnificent automobile.

Save the wave and see you on the road 🙌

Ivan Hines
President
Corvette Club of Nova Scotia

History of Corvette Sales



2019 Schedule of Events

(to be updated as dates and runs are known/confirmed)

Date	Event	Host(s)
June - August Sept 11 Sept 18	Wednesday Night Cruise TBC based on sunset TBC based on sunset	Orrie Flick Calvin and Linda Pearce
July 3 - 7	Atlantic Nationals	Moncton
July 14	Barrington NS Show St Margarets Bay Lions show & shine	
July 19 - 21	Yarmouth Seafest CCNS Maritime Meet Sunday Event – TBA	Ivan Hines
August	Loyalist Vette Club, Saint John, NB	
August	CSNB Meet & Greet CSNB Vette Show	
Aug 17-18	VetteFest	PEI
Aug 23-25	Corvettes at Carlisle, PA (Halifax departure Aug. 21)	Rick and Nancy Latimer
Sept 15	Randy Eisnor South Shore Run	Randy and Audrey Eisnor

Meeting Place unless otherwise indicated:

Tim Hortons, Bedford Commons – 36 Verdi Drive. From Truro take TCH 102 to Exit 4C. Turn left at top of ramp. Straight through first lights, then right at the next light. Tim's will be on your left. From Halifax take exit 4C and turn right at the top of the ramp. Then right at the lights. It is suggested you arrive a few minutes early as times are for leaving the meeting point. Also please have enough gas so you don't need to stop the whole group to get gas. We run channel 5 on the GMRS radios.

Weekend Runs/Events

There are a number of weekends with no runs/events planned, if anyone would be willing to offer to host a run/event just send the date/details to Calvin and we will add to the calendar.

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ST. MARGARET'S BAY LIONS CLUB & MASON'S AUTO PRO SHOW & SHINE


SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2019
(RAIN DATE - JULY 21)




LOCATION: METRO TRANSIT PARK & RIDE, EXIT 5/HWY 103/ HAMMONDS PLAINS ROAD
REGISTRATION FEE: \$10/VEHICLE; ENTRANCE FEE: \$2.00 - CHILDREN UNDER 12: FREE
PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS FOR TOP 3 VEHICLES
SET UP: 8:00-10:00 AM; SHOW & SHINE: 10:00 AM-3:00 PM
50/50 DRAW - BBQ - ANTIQUE - CUSTOM - EXOTIC - MUSCLE VEHICLES
FOR ADDITIONAL INFO: Please contact: Lions Gary Meade 902-826-2567, or, Michael Hart 902-876-1718
FUND RAISING EVENT FOR ST. MARGARET'S BAY LIONS CLUB















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A FIVE DAY OUTDOOR AUTOSHOW EXTRAVAGANZA!

JULY 3-7, 2019
MONCTON, NB









GRAND PRIZE CUSTOM '50 FORD!! - PHENOMENAL PRIZE POOL -
FREE LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AT EVERY VENUE - ACTION CAR AND TRUCK CRUISE-IN -
GARY STEEVES COUNTRY CRUISE & BBQ - MOTHERS FRIDAY STREET PARTY -
SATURDAY NIGHT CRUISE - 2 DAY MAIN EVENT AT CENTENNIAL PARK
HUNDREDS OF CLASSICS, CUSTOMS, HOTRODS AND MUSCLE CARS








Atlantic Nationals/Greater Moncton Corvette Club

The Atlantic Nationals/Greater Moncton Corvette Club car show is approaching. Please check out their web site for all activities happening between July 3-7th (www.atlanticnationals.com). Roger's phone number is 506-858-7895.

THURSDAY:

For GMCC's activities, we will start with a breakfast on Thurs. morning in Riverview (Lions Club, 701 Coverdale Road). This is for weekend registered participants only.

Following breakfast, at 10:30, we will depart from Irving/McDonalds, 330 Dieppe Blvd, Dieppe. We will head out on a run to the Bouctouche area where we will visit the communities in Kent County. We will make a stop for lunch at Pirate de la Mer, 10 Industrielle St., Bouctouche. After lunch we will head back to Moncton to pick up your weekend passes, etc., at the Moncton Wesleyan Church, 945 St. George Blvd, Moncton (E1E 2C9). (pick up 2:30 – 7 p.m.). Those registering for Saturday's event only, will have to wait until Saturday morning to get their passes, etc., at that same location (Moncton Wesleyan Church).

FRIDAY:

On Friday morning, there are no plans. If you are near the downtown Main Street area, you can watch the antique and specialty vehicles arrive and park (Main Street will be closed to other than participants' traffic, so park on the outskirts and walk in).

Meet up on Friday with a 12 noon departure from Irving/McDonalds, 330 Dieppe Blvd., Dieppe. We will drive to the Cap Pele, NB, area to have lunch at Fred's Seafood Restaurant, 2470 Acadie Rd., Cap Pele, E4N 1C9. This is an excellent spot and you should not be disappointed.

Following lunch, we will head over to Michel LeBlanc's personal collection of automotive memorabilia, 2307 Acadie Road, Cap Pele, NB. After we have spent some time admiring this collection, back to Moncton for a little relaxation before the downtown party begins. You may want to clean your vettes if your hotel has made a garden hose available to you.

Take a taxi to downtown Moncton, if you aren't within walking distance of Main St. See the Atlantic Nationals web site for the list of bands playing. You can easily spend 3 hours just walking around, admiring the cars, finding a spot to eat, and then listen (and dance if you are so inclined) to the local bands.

SATURDAY:

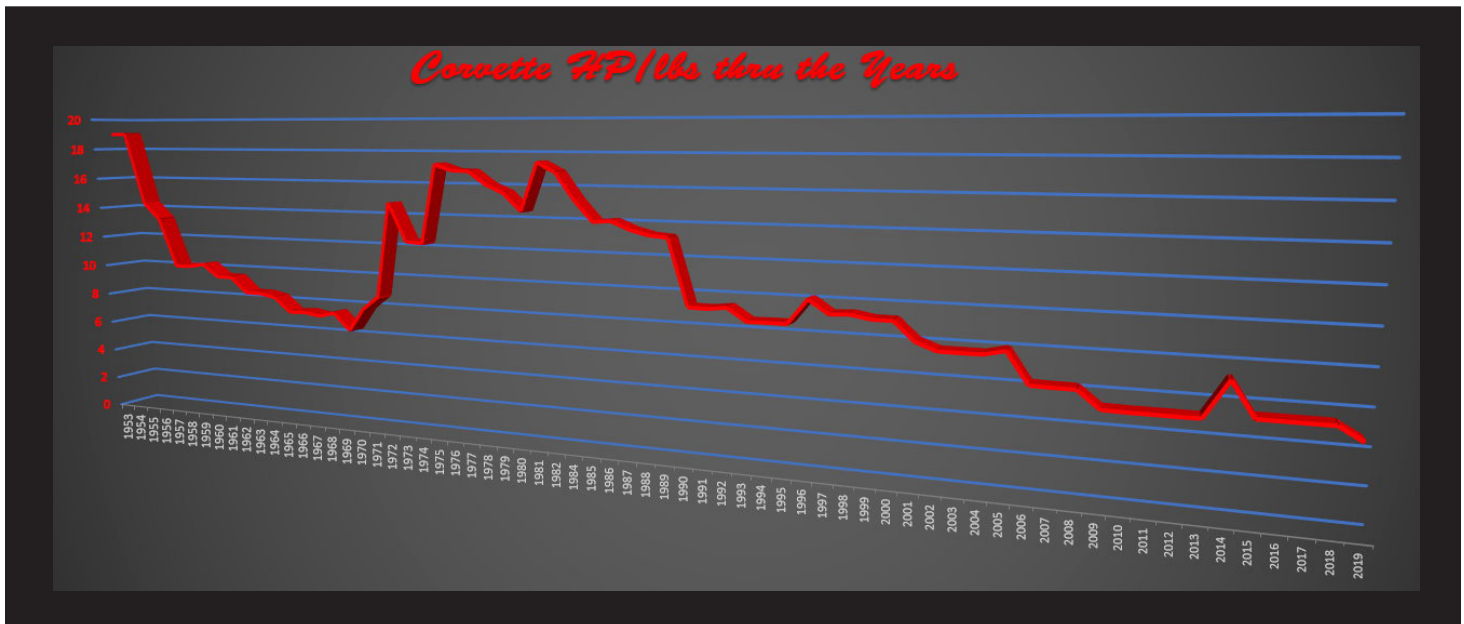
If you already have your window sticker and arm bracelets, don't get in line at the entrance to Centennial Park. Drive up the hill to the Rotary Lodge entrance (125 Rotary Lodge Lane, near civic 961 St. George Blvd.) to join the Corvettes in their exclusive parking spot. The gentlemen at the gate will help you find us.

The show and prizes will run from 9 a.m. until approximately 3:30 p.m. We will try to head out together for a restaurant location, but it gets quite congested trying to leave the park with many other vehicles. The restaurant we have chosen this year will again be Baci Italia, 139 Mountain Road, Moncton (they treated us well last year). This is a relaxing meal, so please enjoy the atmosphere and conversation with your new/old friends.

SUNDAY:

Most will have headed for home by Sunday, but for those that want a chance to win a great prize (one of our members won a car last year), you must be present to win on Sunday. Same parking location as on Saturday, but no reservations – first come, first serve, so try to make it early (before 10 a.m.).





Maritime Meet Reminder!

Friday, July 19th – Parade starts at 7 pm from Yarmouth Mall (please plan to be there at 6pm). We'll be staging Vettes again in generation order in rows this year for easier exiting.

IMPORTANT – Parking passes will be issued to the first approx 40 Vettes @ the Rodd Grand parking lots – Security is hired again to watch our babies and the spots so once you have a pass your safe – no reason not to join the parade.

The Meet & Greet will be at 9 pm at the Rodd Grand Dining Room. There will be free appetizers and game night with 1st prize of \$300, 2nd of \$200 and 3rd of \$100 and live music. The Rudder's location was cool, but way to HOT!

Saturday, July 20th – Show and shine will be from 10 am – 4 pm in same parking area as last year (Corner of Main St. & Brown St. – Downtown Yarmouth). For fun, there will be two fast Corvette RC race cars with an oval track in the street for Corvette owners to race each other – only \$5/10 laps (money for Q104 charity).

Register in the morning for free with the Seafest organizers at the Rodd lobby before registering with the CCNS table at our parking lot.

Also there will be new custom designed trophies for the Show and Shine in 16 categories. We'll have Visa Cards again for farthest away from various provinces/states & 500 free Hot Wheels Corvettes for the kids.

The evening boat cruise will be a little different this year to keep it interesting. We'll have a bus picking us up at the Rodd and the Mall (for those not staying downtown) at around 5:30pm, bring us to Wedgeport (20-30 mins) to leave on the boats and sail out around the island and land in Yarmouth at Rudder's (same spot we left last year) in time for the fireworks display on the water. The cost will be \$25/person (half price) with the balance being paid by Hines Marine. Again; live music, refreshments and seafood chowder included. **This event is fully booked.**

Sunday, July 21st – The Show & Shine continues from 10 am – 3 pm with Seafest prizes being giving out around 2pm. I know most head home that morning – long drive for some.

The Maritime Meet is becoming The Show of the Summer for Corvette'rs – come see what everyone is raving about! Hope to see another great turn out again this year.

Ivan Hines
President
Corvette Club of Nova Scotia



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Rime Restaurant

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Vernon's ThunderBird Dinner

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Note from the Editor:

In order to make each edition of the newsletter interesting, we encourage all members to submit articles that you feel are worth sharing (this is your newsletter). Stories about your first corvette (or your third), or road trips you may have taken, or anything corvette related.

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