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Next meeting:
June 20, 2018
Granite City Food & Brewery

15085 W 119th Street
 Olathe, KS

Room opens at 5 p.m.*
 Meeting begins at 7. Come
 early and dine with the group.
 Please place your food order
 by 6:30!

* Please enter room via
 restaurant main entrance.



YOU OUGHTA' BE IN PICTURES!

Spielberg, Eastwood, Streep, Costner, Sheen, Gere and Travolta. No name dropping intended... but these are just a few icons of film who have shared the lot with Wendol and Jan Jarvis.

Wendol's love of cars began at age 15 when he purchased his first car, a black 1959 Chrysler 300 with red leather interior and a push button transmission. Wendol became a professional photographer and then



Wendol and Jan Jarvis

purchased a 1975 Plymouth Road Runner that blasted him to his photographic assignments.

As the script would soon reveal, Jan Pergoli and her future husband Wendol Jarvis would work on major Hollywood motion pictures like *Field of Dreams*, *Major League*, *Twister*, *The Bridges of Madison County*, *Michael* and many more.



An Iowa Classic

Wendol and Jan met in Beverly Hills at a motion picture production meeting. Both were serving as Film Commissioners, Jan for the city of Milwaukee and Wendol for the state of Iowa.



Wendol's 1959 Chrysler

Wendol worked with the film's Unit Transportation Captain to locate specialty vehicles and ensure that car crashes and explosions were properly rigged to ensure

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Are you a veteran? If so, we want to celebrate your service in our **July** issue. Please contact Debbie Meek at hibeamseditor2018@gmail.com or (816)589-3586 to share your Service Stories.

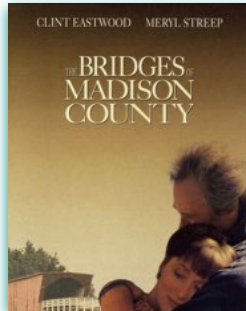
Submission Mission

Any information for publication in **Hi Beams** should be submitted to the editor by the 15th of the month. Please spell check all content prior to submission. Any items from other sources (i.e., websites, etc.) should be accompanied by an attribution. Please ATTACH (not embed in the file) all photos and flyers in their NATIVE format.

Photos of Events Needed!

Come on photogs! Please don't think twice...take that shot and report it. We know you're having fun...show it! Please make sure to provide photo captions that accurately describe the "people, places and things!" Dates and **accurate spelling** of names, please!

stunts were completed safely. In the film *Major League* starring Charlie Sheen, Jan located the Excalibur convertible that costar Corbin Bernsen drove in the film.



Ah, Meryl!

She also captured a role as an extra in *The Bridges of Madison County* (Wendol had something to do with the cars, of course!)

For *Field of Dreams* starring Kevin Costner, Wendol helped source the 1,400 cars in the film's famous final shot: headlights forming a rope of stars winding their way

to the famous field.

For the film *Twister*, Wendol sourced the five same new red Dodge Ram pickup trucks that were systematically destroyed by the Hollywood special effects tornados.

Jan left her career in motion picture *production* but didn't travel too far afield when she became the Executive Director of the Birthplace of actor John Wayne. Wendol continued to source unique modes of transportation from trains, to



Build it and they will come.



Not the helicopter, but the *Twister* destroyed five of these red pickups.

planes to automobiles! His favorite memory was riding with a professional stunt driver testing a stunt crash for the movie *Miles from Home* with Richard Gere.

Jan and Wendol left movies behind and moved to KC where they became early *Papa Murphy* franchisees.

After selling that business, it became even harder to leave their love of cars behind. A 2003 50th Anniversary electron blue Corvette convertible filled the bill!

No...it can't compare to "driving with the stars" but we still hope the Jarvises find *our club* a hit!

—The Editor



2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



JUNE

- 3** 6th Annual Hendrick/CCKC Car Show
- 9** NCCO Oklahoma Corvette Show
- 20** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)*
- 21-23** Bloomington Gold Show (INDY)
- 23** Church of Resurrection Car Show (9a)
- 28** Culver's Cruise Night (5p)

July

- 1** CCKC Picnic at SM Park
- 4** Independence Day Parade & BBQ
- 15** The Roasterie Tour (10a)
- 18** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)
- 18-21** Black Hills Corvette Classic
- 26** Culver's Cruise Night (5p)

AUGUST

- 15** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)
- 19** Lincoln, NE Corvette Show
- 23** Culver's Cruise Night (5p)
- 24-26** Summer's End Show, Rogers AR

SEPTEMBER

- 7** CCKC Corvette Pre-Show at Tiffany Green Golf Club**
- 8** CCKC Corvette Show (Summit Fair)**
- 19** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)
- 20-23** Funfest Mid-America Corvette (IL)
- 27** Culver's Cruise Night (5p)

OCTOBER

- 4-7** Eureka Springs Corvette Weekend
- 13** Hotel Bothwell Show Sedalia (11a)
- 17** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)
- 20** VBP 1st Corvette Show (Topeka-9a)



NOVEMBER

- 21** CCKC Monthly Meeting (7p)

DECEMBER

- 7** CCKC Christmas Party (TBD)

RECURRING*** EVENTS

- 1st Sats** Cars/Motorcycles/Coffee (8-10a)
The Roasterie
- Every Fri** Pegah's Rodders Rule (5-9p)
12122 W 87th St.
- 1st Suns** Pegah's Rodders Rule (3-7p)
5354 Roberts (K7 & Johnson Dr)

HAVE AN IDEA FOR A FUN CLUB EVENT?

Contact Activities Chairperson

CHUCK LEVENSON at

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The Calendar of Events is produced by KATE LEVENSON. To change or cancel an event,

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cc the editor at

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NOTES

* All CCKC Monthly Meetings are held at:
Granite City Food & Brewery

15085 W 119th Street, Olathe, KS

** Complete/Confirmed details coming soon!

***Some recurring events are seasonal



Watch OUT For FLASH CRUISES!



Our New Members:



Scott Minton

Frank Escobar &
Teara Foster



Jonathan Bonness

Aidan Dulku

Next Month We'll Introduce:
Doug Fox
Bub Besch

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

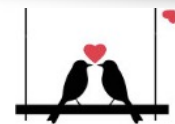
- 1 Thelma Hill
- 2 Cheri Cox
- 3 Janie Bachmann
- 4 John Southerland
- 7 Jack Pisano
- 12 Johnathan Kohrs
Larry Saunders
- 19 Jim Kirkpatrick
Margaret Mandelbaum
John Shepherd
- 20 Page Campbell
- 21 Pascal Eason
- 24 Judy Alagna
Katrina Hannah
- 26 Edward Rose
- 30 Wayne Esch

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY



Mr. & Mrs. Brian Evans
June 3

Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey Moss
Mr. & Mrs. Wally Phillips
June 11



Mr. & Mrs. Pascal Eason
June 14

Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Prock
June 17

Derby Days!

The Kentucky Derby Day party at Terry and Bob Henn's house was a great success. Thirty-two (32) CCKC members enjoyed southern fried chicken strips, mint juleps, Kentucky bourbon, nonalcoholic beverages, and some good old down home southern hospitality.

The salads, appetizers, pastas, vegetables, desserts and craft beers brought by members added to the feast. No one left hungry or thirsty!

Terry Henn created a photo booth with props for everyone to create their own memories of the day.

Everyone was in the Derby spirit—ladies plumed with hats and fascinators—men sporting traditional Derby threads. Debbie Meek and Roland Norris won Best Dressed. Some friendly pre-race wagering sent some home richer. The weather was perfect for gathering on the deck (oops *veranda*)! Everyone had a wonderful time.

Many thanks to the Farnsworths, Hannahs and Henns for hosting the event and making it a fun day for all who attended.

—Robert (Bob) H. Henn



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All Hands on Deck

CCKC members did well at the KCCA Hendrick show on May 6.

Eleven members were in attendance and four were Best of Class Winners. (Chuck Levenson was tied for Best C6 but didn't win that tiebreaker or we would



LR: Adam Hoehn, Bryan Jacobs Bob Henn & Darrell Prock

have had another CCKC member trophy. Chuck, your car is a winner in our opinion!)

It's good when CCKC members support other Corvette Clubs' events but you can't beat it when CCKC brings home

the trophies! The following CCKC members took home Best of Class trophies:

Adam Hoehn - C3
Bryan Jacobs - C4
Darryl Prock - Early C5
Bob Henn - Late C5



The Show Stoppers

It was a very special day for Bob as he dedicated his entry to the memory of his daughter-in-law Megan Henn, who passed away on May 11, 2016. Megan, this win was for you!

—Robert (Bob) H. Henn

Crusin' Culvers

On Thursday, May 24, Terry and Bob Henn hosted the first *Culver's Cruise* of the season. Twenty-one members and one guest came to play despite some threatening weather conditions. Most members drove their *metal cars* as only seven Vettes dressed up the parking lot.

Chuck Levenson put us to work assembling the entrant packages for the upcoming CCKC Hendrick Show. Culver's generously donated eight coupons in addition to their discount. We raffled off the *coupons* and a NCM Corvette coaster and bottle koozie. The odds of winning were excellent considering we had 10 items and 21 members. Almost half of us were winners!

We hope the weather is more favorable and we have twice the number attending the June 28 cruise. It's a special sight when the parking lot is full of gleaming Vettes and the restaurant packed with CCKC members.

CORVETTE CLUB OF KANSAS CITY




(CCKC)



Thursday June 28, 2018
5 - 7pm

COME JOIN YOUR HOSTS TERRY & BOB HENN FOR
CRUISE NIGHT WITH CCKC @ CULVER'S
8600 W. 135th ST. OVERLAND PARK
CULVERS: 913-402-9777

—Robert (Bob) H. Henn

CARS4HEROES.ORG

AKA...The Big Day!

On May 11, about ten members of CCKC attended the 11th Annual Cars 4 Heroes Golf Tournament at Dub's Dread Golf Course. They came on short notice



Carl Yonkers, Susan Engel and Steve Garrett

ready to display their cars and witness the Club's giving.

President Steve Garrett's connection to Cars 4 Heroes (via the 101 the Fox weekly program called Military Mondays) led him to contact



The Gangs All Here! LR: Mike Reed, Wendol Jarvis, Darrell Prock, Clarence Hill, Gwyn Hill, Eldon McDonald, Barb Kearns, Susan Engle, Steve Garrett & Carl Yonkers.

Jerry Franz, Executive Director of Cars 4 Heroes, about securing a van for St. Michael's. Terry quickly found a van that perfectly fit the center's needs.

Steve presented the van (and \$2,000 to help defray some of the van operating and maintenance expense) to St. Michael's Executive Director, Susan Engel and resident



Steve and Jerry Franz

representative Carl Yonkers. Local media covered the event where a total of four cars and two vans were gifted to

six different recipients.

A terrific day for everyone—not just for the benefiting veterans—but for the Club, too. After many hours of effort and a few hurdles, CCKC was able to give the St. Michael's community a real "lift."

Many thanks to the tenacity of Steve Garrett, Barb Kearns, Clarence and Gwyn Hill and others who worked tirelessly to make the dream of transport for St. Michael's veterans a reality.

—President, Steve Garrett



The Check!



The Gift...The Van.

On **Wednesday May 16, 2018** at 7:00 pm, the meeting was called to order by President, Steve Garrett at *Granite City Restaurant* in Olathe, KS. There were between 75-82 members and one guest present. Steve introduced Ryan Vaughn, the manager here at *Granite City*. We thanked him for welcoming us for our monthly meeting.

Gene Sinkler, Vice President announced the raffle items we have for this evening. Items came from *Hendrick Chevrolet*, Sharon Bybee and The Downings. We collected \$142 for the raffle. Gene mentioned several CCKC flags were donated to the club and are now for sale. If you are interested, see Gene after the meeting.

Adam Hoehn, National Corvette Museum Ambassador was not in attendance. Adam informed Steve it is time for us to renew our flag at the *National Corvette Museum* for \$500. A motion was made and approved to renew our flag. A request was made that we have the Museum donate items to our car show. Chuck Levenson acknowledged that they are sending items.

Gwyn Hill, Secretary. Gwyn obtained approval of the May 2018 minutes.

Chuck Abbott, Treasurer. The Treasurer's report was read and approved by the membership. Chuck encouraged members to participate in the *Hendrick Car Show* by submitting their checks and registration.

Vicki Sinkler, Membership. Vicki was not in attendance due to a recent hip replacement. Barb Sutherland filled in. Barb reported due to

the 2 entrances to the restaurant we need to make sure members sign in. Rick Halley was our visitor. He attended with another member. We currently have 180 members.

Chuck Levenson, Activities

Chairperson. Chuck reported on the upcoming events. Please see the list of activities in the June issue of *Hi Beams* for details. All members making donations to the car show, please sign in with your name and your donation so you can be given credit. Bob Henn reported that the *Culver's Cruises* will be the 4th Thursday of every month and encouraged members to attend. They begin at 5pm and located on 135th Antioch. Chuck announced with the warm weather we will be having "*Flash Cruises*". These are cruises that you will be given a 12—day notice of when and where to meet and cruise to different locations that will be fun and exciting.

Other discussion items:

There was discussion about the monies raised going to our charity. Chuck explained that this year all monies we take into the club will go into the general fund. Then at the end of the year we will allocate a portion to our charity. Based on the 2018 budget it looks like we will be able to donate about \$6,500 to our charity this year.

Sharon Bybee announced the picnic on July 1. She encouraged members to sign up, so we can get a count for food to order.

New & Old Business.

Presentation of the van to *St. Michael's* was held at *Dub's Dread Golf Course* during the *11th Annual Cars 4 Heroes Golf Tournament*



and fundraising event. President Steve Garrett, on behalf of *Cars 4 Heroes* and the *Corvette Club of Kansas City*, presented the van to Susan Engel, Executive Director of *St. Michael's*. Around 11 CCKC members (with 9 cars) were in attendance. Local media covered the event.

Cars & Cigars on June 16. Radio station, *101 The Fox* along with *Auto Museum of Kansas City* will be hosting this event at the Union Station from 12 noon-3pm. CCKC was asked to participate and set up by 10 am. There is no cost to CCKC to participate in this event. In return for our participation, *101 The Fox* offered up to 50 pairs of tickets to the Jimmy Buffet concert for the first 50 cars signed up. The concert was Saturday, May 19.

Great Car Show on July 29 at the *World War I Museum/Liberty Memorial*. The event is from 9am-3pm. The rain date is August 5. This event is also sponsored by the *Auto Museum of*

Kansas City and the *World War I Museum*. Our car club was the only local club not represented last year. This year they are offering a \$4 discount, making the registration only \$26. Go to

www.TheGreatCarShow.com.

Discount Code: CORVETTEKC018 (UNTIL July 23)

Our guest speakers for May are:

Sean Fountain

Alloy Wheel Repair Specialists of KC

Brett Starr

Auto Beauty Center

Followed by the raffle and closing, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Gwyn Hill, Secretary.

Please note: Since the minutes were taken, the *Cars and Cigars* scheduled for June 16 has been cancelled but may be rescheduled at a later date.

It's All In The Details

May's guest speakers were a timely bunch. Just in time for the



Alloy Wheel and Auto Beauty Center Reps

show season, Sean Fountain of *Alloy Wheel Repair Specialists* and Brett Starr of *Auto Beauty Center* gave a

detailed presentation on all the ways you can make your ride look better.



Sean and Brett each gave slide presentations that pictured all the



ways you can make "Those Big Ole' Wheels Keep Gleamin' through

refinish and repair or send your car for a "spa day!"

And a few trends were passed along. One specific hot trend: "flat black" wheel finishes!

—The Editor

Please come join us for summer fun and food (BBQ) provided by CCKC. Each member is asked to donate chips, an appetizer or a dessert to share. Please bring your own cooler and chairs.

**PLEASE NOTE: Alcoholic Beverages
PROHIBITED in Shawnee Mission Park.**

Date: Sunday, July 1

Time: 2:00-5:30 pm (Eat at 4:00)

Place: Shawnee Mission Park Shelter 8

Sign Up: NO LATER THAN Wednesday, June 20, 2018

Organizer: Barb Kearns at (913)541-8146 or (816)225-8049

MUSIC!

GAMES!

PRIZES!





Keep the Date
for the CCKC Corvette Show:
Saturday, September 8, 2018

But change the location:

**Summit Fair Shopping Center
1 -470 & 50 Highway
Lee's Summit, MO**

Same date, same time, same show ... new venue.

Pre-show event/early registration: same venue as last year
Tiffany Greens Golf Club
Friday evening, September 7

**FLYER AND REGISTRATION FORM WILL
FOLLOW SOON!**

Sneak a peak at the Fair:
summitfairshopping.com





22nd Annual Summer's End Corvette Show

Northwest Arkansas Corvette Club

Rogers, AK

Schedule & Blank Mail-In Registration Form

http://nwacorvetteclub.com/images/2018_NWACC_Summers_End_Reg_Blank_Form.pdf

Schedule & Electronic Registration Form

http://nwacorvetteclub.com/images/2018_NWACC_Summers_End_Reg_Fill-in_Form.pdf



FIRST ANNUAL "VBP" VETTE SHOW



PRIZES WILL
BE AWARDED
FOR 1ST, 2ND,
& 3RD IN
EACH CLASS.



OTHER AWARDS :
BEST HOOD ART,
MOST MILES
TRAVELED, BEST
LIGHT SHOW AND
OF COURSE THE
BEST OF SHOW
AWARD!!

VBP 1st Annual Vette Show will be held on October 20th, The "Dug Out" Bar and Grill 1545 SW Fairlawn Rd, Topeka Kansas. Show will run from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with awards presented at 1:30 p.m.

Awesome Vendors will present including Food and Clothing!

Pre-Registration is \$30.00 per vehicle/ \$40 on site registration... FREE to the public.

Registration forms can be emailed to you or found on VBP Vette Club Facebook Page.

Contact: Tamara @ 785-969-9234/ vettegirl.45@gmail.com

A portion of the 50/50 proceeds will go to Breast Cancer Research. American Cancer Society Topeka



Best In Show!



Engine Rev Contest!

HOTEL BOTHWELL

1st Annual Corvette Show & Cruise In

October 13, 2018

Hotel Bothwell

103 E 4th St

660-826-5588

Downtown Square in Sedalia, Mo

12 CLASSES

Pre-registration \$40 Registration after September 29th \$50
Show registration form will be accepted up until 10:00am ONLY! !!
Judging 11:00am - 1:00pm

Registration includes Event T-Shirt/20% discount on room reservation!

Mail form & check to Hotel Bothwell 103 E 4th St Sedalia, Mo 65301

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
Vehicle License: _____ Model: _____
Year: _____ Color: _____ Class: _____
Club Affiliation: _____
Insurance Carrier: _____
Registration for: ☐ Corvette Show ☐ Display Only (Car not judged)

****By signing below I acknowledge, Hotel Bothwell will not be held liable for any and all losses, injuries, and/or damages that may result as a participant in the event****

Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____

JUDGING INFORMATION

- Place window card on dash.
- Judging will be from 11:00 to 1:00.
- Judges will open doors but not hoods. No points given for engine compartments hood is down.
- Please do not ask judges questions during or after judging.
- Judging sheets are the property of the judging committee and will not be given to participants.
- Decisions of the judges are final.
- Judges will select 1st place for each class.
- There will be no ties.
- Stock: No major changes from factory other than wheels, air intake or exhaust. Modified: Chrome, interior/exterior changes, modified engines, etc.
- On day of show, new entries accepted by 10:00 AM will be judged. No cars entering

JUDGING CRITERIA

PAINT: Quality, Cleanliness, Luster
ENGINE COMPARTMENT: Neatness, Cleanliness, Workmanship. Includes engine block, inner fenders, firewall, radiator, hoses, exhaust manifolds, wiring, chrome, underside of hood, and no visible leaks.
EXTERIOR: Cleanliness, Body Panel Fit, Chrome (C1, C2, C3), Glass, Wheels and Tires. Includes tops, door handles, bumpers, outside mirrors, tailpipes and wheel wells.
INTERIOR: Cleanliness, Fit and Finish, Weatherstripping/Rubber. Includes dash, console, steering column, luggage area, upholstery, visors, door panels, door jams, carpet, glass and seat belts.

JUDGING CLASSES

Class 1. C1	53-62
2. C2	63-67
3. C3A	68-73
4. C3B	74-82
5. C4A	84-90
6. C4B	91-96
7. C5A	97-00
8. C5B	01-04
9. C6	05-Present
10. ZO6/ G.S.	All Years
11. Modified	All Years
12. ZR1	All Years





Chase, the manager of *Culver's* is happy to sponsor *CCKC* again for our monthly *Culver's Cruise*. Terry and Bob Henn will host the event again this year.

For those new to the Club, we cruise to *Culver's* at the corner of Antioch and 135th Street in Overland Park on the 4th Thursday, May through September.


Culver's has been great to us. They provide a free large drink, plus 25% off

CRUISING

food and desserts. Chase also donates several free meal and dessert coupons.

We gather between 5pm-6pm on the patio and chat as well as admire our Vettes in the parking lot. At 6pm we head into the restaurant and dine together. It's a lot of fun and a great way to make friends in the Club.

Many thanks to Terry and Bob Henn for hosting and organizing these five months of cruising. They look forward to seeing lots of *CCKC* members there!



CARS, MOTORCYCLES, & COFFEE!

Join us on the first Saturday of every month from 8-10am for Cars, Motorcycles & Coffee at The Roasterie Factory Café!

Come show off your ride and check out others. All cars and motorcycles welcome! It's all free (minus the coffee.)

The Roasterie Factory Café
1204 W 27th Street
Kansas City, MO 64108
(Space will be reserved in lot at 27th & Holly)

2018 CRUISING CULVER'S DATES

June 28

July 26

Aug 23

Sept 27



CRUISING, TOO

THE ROASTERIE

AIR-ROASTED COFFEE

SUNDAY

JULY 15, 2018
CRUISE IN TO
THE ROASTERIE
1204 W 27TH ST.
KANSAS CITY, MO 64108
10:30AM-2:00PM



****FOOD TRUCK BRUNCH****

TOURS @ 10:30 &
12:30

ONLY \$5 PP

Bring your
Lawnchairs

Enjoy our fellow
Corvette owners

SIGN UP

****AT CORVETTE CLUB OF KANSAS CITY MEETING****
Email or call

Vicki or Gene Sinkler

913-908-2369 or

913-221-3198

vickisinkler@yahoo.com

Rodders Rule



Every Friday Cruise / Pegah's @ 87th 5-9pm

Lots of Menu Choices! Great Food!

Hope 2 C U there!! D&J

When

Every Friday Cruise

5 to 9pm

Cruisers Discount

30% off your meal!!

Where

12122 W. 87th St. Pway

2 Blocks west of Quivera (North side) Lenexa,KS

66215

Information

Cruising down the road!

Dick & Judy

**Add Another Chance &
Location to Cruise
Pegah's:**

1st Suns Pegah's Rodders Rule (3-7p)
5354 Roberts (K7 & Johnson Dr)

**Same discounts and fun
applies!**

