

MONTHLY MEETING - SATURDAY, APRIL 1ST

Ollie's Station Restaurant, 4070 Southwest Blvd, Tulsa, OK 74107 7:30 AM to 08:00 AM—Parking Lot Gathering; 08:30 AM meeting starts indoors!

Dues Reminder—Your 2023 Chapter Dues were due in January 2023. If you haven't paid them yet, you can bring them to the breakfast meeting or mail them to the me.



April 2023 Newsletter

BOARD MEMBER'S REPORT

President's Comments—Our March events are in the rearview mirror (or camera depending on your generation of Corvette) and what a month it was! As a recap of the events:

At our March 4th meeting, we had a great discussion around the early '53 Corvettes after watching a video of Corey Peterson explaining why he thinks he has located and purchased VIN 001. After the video and discussion, we all gathered around Dale Scott's unrestored '53 in the parking lot. What an amazing car and a rare treat!! Thank you Dale!



The story on VIN 001 continues, as we all know it will. Corey Peterson released another video on March 7 to further build his case around car #1. To counter Corey's claim, Ken Kayser, a long time GM engineer and expert on the 1953 Corvette, has come forward to re-state his opinion that car #1 and car #2 were burned by GM. If you are on the chapter email distribution, you should have received a link to a Zoom meeting on March 28 to hear what Ken has to say. Stay tuned for more discussions on this topic!



Our second event of March was a judging school at John Neas' garage on March 4. Big thanks to John for the use of his place and to Gene Holtz on leading us through the judging school. It was a good refresher for our experienced judges and a great introduction to those of us that are new to judging (like Travis Firey and I).

March 18th brought some chilly weather and our Garage Condos of Tulsa tour. We had a great turnout despite the cold weather! I'd like to thank Mike Smith for opening of his garage and for cooking pizza for everyone. I'd also like to thank Pat McMichael for opening up his garage and giving lots of people a good spot to warm up. Thanks to Kelly Bolton and new NCRS member Mark Wakefield for opening up their garages and sharing their cool spaces with the chapter members and our guests. You may have missed the signup sheet. If you were there and didn't sign in, please send an email to Travis, Firey, Phil Gray, or I.

In addition to these events, we had our first monthly luncheon on March 9th at Fish Daddy's and our Attitude Adjustment night at Bravo's on March 21. You should be receiving this newsletter on the same day as the Attitude Adjustment night on March 28th.

April is a big month for the club as well and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the April 1st meeting at Ollie's. At our

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meeting, will dive into the April 29th judging event in Stillwater and walk through online registration for it. After the meeting, I will be leading a caravan to Enid to attend the Corvette Expo. If you are unable to attend the April meeting, but still want to register for the April 29th judging event, please reach out to Gene or I to help you get registered.

NCRS Oklahoma Chapter President Rob Wilson (NCRS #48348)

Membership Chairman's Comments—Our

current membership roster sits at **79** members with **61** of those having paid their 2023 dues. We are currently at a 77% renewal rate. I will be accepting your 2023 dues at the March 2023 meetings or by mail.

NCRS Oklahoma Chapter Membership Chairman Michael Aichele (NCRS #11685)

Judging Chairman's Comments

OKLAHOMA CHAPTER SPRING JUDGING MEET SATURDAY APRIL 29th, 2023

Our chapter spring judging meet will be held at Larry Witt's building located at 4100 W. Lakeview in Stillwater, OK. I set it up this year in a central location between Tulsa, OKC and Wichita for easy access for our members throughout the region. So far I have 3 Corvettes to Flight Judge 1958, 1965 and 1975 with registration ending on April 10th, we will be setting up the judging floor inside on Friday afternoon the 28th to be ready for cold starts on Saturday.

The OKC area will be going to Stillwater as a group on Saturday morning April 29th. If you want to join us we will meet at On-Cue located at 5251 E. Waterloo Rd. Edmond (I-35 and Waterloo Rd. in north Edmond). Leaving a 7:30 AM for our drive to Stillwater. Contact me with any questions. Rob Wilson will coordinate the Tulsa members and Rick Smiley will coordinate the Wichita members that want to attend.

On arrival we will have donuts and drinks to get ready for our day. The schedule will be as follows

9:00 judging school followed by judges meeting and owners meeting

10:00 Flight Judging on all classes

12:00 Pizza Lunch will be provided

Operations Test will be preformed outside after all other judging has been completed.

Award presentation at approximately 3:00 after tabulation is finished.

Thank you to all who have already registered. If you have not done so you please sign up at NCRS.ORG by April 10th, so I will know what year and section you want to judge. There is no cost to judge with us at this event as we want all members to get involved and learn more about our cars. If your schedule changes and you can come and have not registered please come and we will find a spot for you. I expect a good turnout with registrants from Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma but more judges make the day go by better.

See you in Stillwater

NCRS Oklahoma Chapter Judging Chairman Gene Holtz (NCRS #10606)

email blue65L84@aol.com or 405-317-3919

Treasurer's Comments: We still got money in the bank!

NCRS Oklahoma Chapter Treasurer Scott Pfuehler (NCRS #20940)

CORVETTE EXPO Presented by

Corvettes of Enid

April 1, 2023 @ 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Let's drive there after our regular chapter breakfast!

Chisholm Trail EXPO Center, 111 W Purdue, Enid, OK 73701

Attendee admission is \$5.00 per adult.

LARGEST INDOOR CORVETTE SHOW IN OKLAHOMA



UPCOMING EVENTS

OKLAHOMA NCRS CHAPTER EVENTS:

- April 1st—NCRS monthly breakfast—Tulsa (See Front Page)
- April 1st—Corvette Expo, Enid, OK
- April 15—at 9:30 am. John Neas is hosting a garage tour for the Chevy Club. (More info at the breakfast meeting)
- April 22—at 1:30 pm. John Neas is hosting a garage tour for the Solid Axle Corvette Club Red River Chapter. (More info at the breakfast meeting)
- April 29th—OK NCRS Chapter Judging Event in Stillwater
- May 23—Route 66 road tour to OKC; Rudy's Bar-B-Q, 3437 West Memorial Road in Oklahoma City

NCRS NATIONAL EVENTS:

- June 1-3, 2023 NCRS Regional, Altoona, PA
- June 8-10, 2023 NCRS Regional, Rochester, MN
- June 29, 2023 to January 1, 2024 NCRS National Gallery at the Nation Corvette Museum, Bowling Green, KY https://www.corvettemuseum.org/
- July 23-27, 2023 NCRS National, French Lick, IN
- August 24-26, 2023 NCRS Gallery at Corvettes of Carlisle, Carlisle, PA
- September 14-16, 2023 NCRS Regional, Ontario, Canada
- September 7-11, 2025 NCRS National, South Pointe Casino, Las Vegas, NV
- October 19-21, 2023 NCRS Regional, Frisco, TX

OKLAHOMA HALLETT MOTOR RACING CIRCUIT: https://www.hallettracing.net/

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CAR SHOWS AND SWAP MEETS: (Stuff for Car Guy's and Gal's)

- Tulsa Tuesday Cruise Night, McAlister's Deli, 91st & Memorial, Tulsa, OK; 4:00 PM-Sunset (March 14 Oct)
- Cars & Coffee, 13230 Pawnee Dr, Oklahoma City, OK; First Saturday monthly, 8:30AM-11:00AM
- Cars & Coffee, Kicker Facility, 3100 N Husband St, Stillwater, OK; Last Saturday monthly, 8:30AM-12:00PM
- Owasso Cruzrs Cruise In, 12900 E 86th St N, Owasso, OK; 2nd Wednesday monthly, 4:30PM-8:00PM
- April 21-22, 2023 Tulsa Swap Meet, Creek County Fairgrounds, Kellyville, OK
- May 11-13, 2023 Chickasha Swap Meet, 712 East Choctaw Ave, Chickasha, OK

OKLAHOMA CITY HAPPENINGS

ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT NIGHT OKLAHOMA CITY—Tuesday April 25th will be this months Attitude Adjustment Night at RUDY'S "Country Store" and Bar-B-Q located at 3437 W Memorial Dr. Oklahoma City, OK. Arrival time is 5:30 with dinner at 6:00. Hope to see you there.

TULSA HAPPENINGS (PLEASE RSVP)

Monthly DINNER—Yes, April is going to be dinner again. Everyone is welcome—Chapter Member's, spouses, partners, or singles to get together and mingle. It is a good time for all! Please come join us.

Thursday, April 13th's dinner will be at Red Robin, 4801 W Kenosha St, Broken Arrow, OK 74012. We always encourage our "singles" to join in the fun. Gathering time is 5:30 PM.

Please RSVP to Nancy Phillips that you'll be joining us! Contact her at 918-770-1043 or nancy.phillips@isocentric.com.

We hope to see you there. Future dates: May 11th—2023

<u>TULSA HAPPENINGS</u>

ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT Night TULSA, **OK** —**Tuesday**, **April 18th** at Bravos Mexican Grill, 6104 E 71st Street, Tulsa, OK.

MEMBERS CLASSIFIED PAGE (Wanted, For Sale or Service)

For sale or a service you can provide Chapter Members? eMail me and I'll put it in the newsletter! - mjikelee@gmail.com

AVAILABLE - Corvette "Body Dolly" and "Rotisserie" located in Wichita, Kansas. Contact Dallas Keller at (316) 200-4125

FOR FREE - If anyone wants a past edition of the Judging Reference Manual or a Technical Information and Judging Guide let me know. I have Judging Reference Manuals and Technical Information and Judging Guides for 58-60, 63-64, 66, 68-69, 70-72, 73-74, 75-77, 80-82, and 90-91. Contact Scott Pfuehler at (918) 437-5292.

FOR SALE - 1965 Close ratio Muncie 4 speed. Main-case # 3851325, mid-plate #3857584, side cover #3831707. Date P0312 (March 12th) NO V.I.N. ON CASE. 7,000 miles on rebuild by Tom Parsons with upgrade to 1" cluster shaft and 26 spline input. Comes with new power torque pressure plate and good clutch disc and rear yoke. \$1,000.00 Gene Holtz (405) 317-3919

WANTED - ??

OKLAHOMA CHAPTER

Don't forget to visit our website for some upto-date information about what is going on in the Chapter.

https://www.ncrs.org/ok

NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

National Corvette Restorers Society

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<u> https://www.ncrs.org/join/ncrs-benefits.php</u>

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CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

OKLAHOMA CHAPTER NATIONAL CORVETTE RESTORERS SOCIETY

OKLAHOMA CHAPTER NCRS, INC. MEMBERSHIP APPLLICATION

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How did	you hear about Oklah	oma Chapter NCRS?		
What are	your special areas of	f interest?		
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Corvette	Information (Optional	2		
Year	Model	Color	Engine/HP	

Annual Dues are \$30.00 with membership expiring on December 31st. You must be an active member of the National Corvette Restorers Society before you can be a member of the Oklahoma Chapter N.C.R.S., Inc. Make checks payable to **Oklahoma Chapter NCRS, Inc.**

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