

Corvettes of Berkshire

August 2013 Newsletter

The July meeting was held at Ozzie's Steak and Eggs on July 11th. Chairman of the Board Dave Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm with 16 members present. In attendance were Ed and Valerie Anker, George Beeker, Fran Bourdon, Linda Carter, Jim Contenta, Butch Eddy, Donnie and Joanne Lamoureux, Ed and Arline McDermott, Mike Purcell, Gary Sharp, Nate and Maria Zuckerman.

Past Activities:

“Cars for Kids” 2013 Charity Car & Truck Show - Watch for the complete report in the September issue of the Newsletter.

Future Activities:

Club Picnic – Saturday, August 10th is the date of the annual COB Picnic. This year's event is hosted at the home of Jim and Bev Contenta, 2 Alpine Trail, Pittsfield, MA. The festivities will start at 1 PM with food served at 2:30. The Club will supply beef, chicken, potato and corn. BYOB. Please call Jim and Bev by Monday, August 5th to let them know what dish you want to bring at 413-443-5518.

Corvettes at Carlisle – Once again we will make our annual Club pilgrimage to Carlisle, PA. Butch Eddy will lead the caravan from the Canan, NY truck stop on Friday the 23rd, leaving at 6 AM. Contact Butch at 413-822-7113(cell) if you are going.

ZANY / Lustgarten / VIP at Saratoga Race Track – Join our friends from the VIP Corvette Club for a day at the track on Sunday, August 18th. Check out the attached flyer.

Mario's – Mark your calendar for dinner on September 14th. Details to follow.

Vettes to Vets – Come join Ed and Valerie Anker and Bob and Carol Garrity as well as a crew from VIP at the 10th Annual Vettes to Vets event. We will be traveling to Billerica, MA on the weekend of September 28th. More information can be found in the attached flyer and at <http://www.vetestovets.org/>.

Items of Interest:

The members present voted to accept Gabe Prendergast as a member of COB. Welcome Gabe!

Bedard Chevrolet offers a 10% discount on service and parts to all COB members. Remember to tell them you are a member of Corvettes of Berkshire when you are there for service.

Be sure to check out the Club website for the most current Calendar of Events.

Treasurer's Report: The balance reported for the end of July was \$1730.29.

Raffle Winner: Fran Bourdon won the raffle.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting on will be held on **Thursday, September 5, 2013 at Ozzie's**. The meeting will start at 7:30, but arrive by 6:30 if you plan to eat there.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Ed Anker