Corvettes of Berkshire

June 2009 Newsletter

The June meeting was held @ Krispy Cones in Lanesboro, MA and was called to order @ 7:35 pm by President Lou Rocha with 19 members present.

Past Activities:

Dinner at Mario's in New Lebanon , NY on May 30th was attended by 18 people. They all had an enjoyable time, although some felt the service was not up to par.

Future Activities:

Sunday, June 6th will be the bus trip to Mohegan Sun Casino. Eight members have signed up for the trip.

Sunday, June 14th is The Vettes In Perfection Show at Lakeside Farms & Cider Mill in Ballston Lake, NY. We will leave from the turn-off parking area near Shaker Village at 8:30 am.

Sunday, June 21st will be the club sponsored Show & Shine to be held at Krispy Cone in Lanesboro from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. The show is for Corvettes only of any age. Club members cars will be parked in a separate area and will not be judged. Entry fees will be $10.00 per car which includes one participant ballot. Spectator ballots will be available for $1.00. Trophies will be awarded. Many door prizes will be awarded and "Goody Bags" will also be given out.

Food will be available and an ice cream cart will be on the premises. A 50/50 raffle will be available with tickets priced at $1.00 each or 5 for $3.00.

All proceeds of the event will go to Santa's Toy Fund.

A rain date of June 28th is scheduled in case of inclement weather

Sunday, June 28th will be a Sunday Drive, tentatively set for a scenic trip to Manchester, VT, and into New York state with a stop somewhere for lunch. We will leave from Krispy Cone in Lanesboro at 10:00 am.

Saturday, July 4th will be the annual Pittsfield Fourth of July parade. The parade route has not yet been definitely established, but we will meet at the Elm Street car-wash at 8:00 am and proceed to the assembly point assigned to us.

Items of Interest:

The members voted to make a donation to the 4th of July Parade committee in memory of Larry Gattasso's mother who recently passed away. The sympathy of the club is extended to Larry and his family.

The members voted to donate $100.00 to sponsor a Corvette class at the Hillcrest Car Show. The members also voted to donate $100.00 to the 4th of July Parade committee.

Workers are needed for the June 21st Car Show. Those who will work at the show on Sunday are asked to be there by 8:00 am. Workers are also needed on Saturday afternoon about 4:00 pm to help set up the area.

Treasurer's Report:

May Income $46.00, Expenses $189.14.
Balance on hand May 31 is $2,344.74.

Raffle Winner:

Jack Carter won $14.00.

The next meeting will be July 1st @ Krispy Cones in Lanesboro, MA.

The meeting was adjourned @ 8:05 p.m.

Lew Sharp, Secretary