



# America's Corvette Club

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## REFLECTIONS IN GLASS

January 22, 2011

Time flies. We worked very hard for months on our show and in the blink of an eye, it's over and gone.

Nobody, let alone myself, can give enough praise to our members who worked many tireless hours and gave up sleep to put on this show and make it the success that it turned out to be.

The weather gods did not shine down upon us as we would have liked, but it turned out not to be so bad after all.

We ended up with 154 cars in attendance, and for the most part, everyone I talked to said that they were very pleased with our first show at the new dealership.

With a lot of firsts, I think we did great. The dealership gave us tremendous praise on the job we did and with the way the show ended up, and already they are talking about next years show.

We had approximately 175 items on the silent auction table, thank you for your generosity, and the sales were just fine. We got rid of a lot of things I thought would not sell and we did quite well with what we had. The women who worked the tables did a wonderful job, everything went very smooth and easy.

Penny and her crew did a great job on the 50/50. I don't know the final count but I heard the figure of \$1400. going around with time left.

Unfortunately the bus did not show so we lost a couple of hundred of dollars there and because of the weather we did not have very many vendors show up, again we still did good.

After the show, we tried something new. Instead of going out to a restaurant, we ordered subs, cold cuts, fruit platter and accompanying sides. What a success. We all sat around the tables, eating and talking with and among ourselves. This gave us all the chance to sit back and unwind and just enjoy each others company, again great idea, lets go on a ride and do it again in a park somewhere.

I know that I cannot thank everyone by name for the job that you did, but we had 31 people show up to work the show, just goes to show what we can do when people really care, but I know who you are and you have made me and America's Corvette Club very proud. Thanks you all again for a job well done.

Bill Valentine

February  
Meeting Dates

February 3<sup>rd</sup>  
February 17<sup>th</sup>

## 2011 EVENTS

February 19<sup>th</sup>

**Corvettes on the Gulf  
Corvettes/Open Car/Truck Show  
Fort Myers**

February 27<sup>th</sup>

**Corvettes of Charlotte County  
Corvettes/Open Car/Truck Show  
Punta Gorda**

March 13<sup>th</sup>

**Sunshine Corvette Club  
All Corvette Show  
Miami**

March 20<sup>th</sup>

**Venice Florida Corvettes  
All Corvette Show  
Venice Florida**

April 9<sup>th</sup>

**Corvette Club of WPB  
All Corvette Show  
West Palm Beach**

April 10<sup>th</sup>

**Festival Flea Market Mall  
Annual Spring Car Show  
Pompano Beach**

April 30<sup>th</sup>

**Stuart Corvette Club  
All Corvette Show  
Ft. Pierce**

May 7<sup>th</sup>

**Skyway Corvette Club  
Corvettes On The Circle 2011  
All Corvette Show  
Sarasota**

August 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>

**Corvettes At Carlisle  
All Corvette Show - Auction  
Carlisle, Pa**





RENEGADE CAR SHOW  
January 9, 2011

Congratulations to John Browning and the Renegades for putting on a great car show. They had over 211 cars and beautiful weather for their show. I can only hope that we will be as lucky with our show.

We had a great showing with 14 cars in attendance, and as normal, our cars looked fabulous with five of our members winning awards for their cars.



Our thoughts and prayers go out to Larry Bingaman. On January 22, 2011 Larry went into the hospital for open-heart surgery. He had a quadruple bypass and is doing well.

Also condolences go out to Louisann Warner and family on the death of her husband, David, a fellow member of ACC. He passed away on January 13, 2011 due to complications from his Chemo treatment.

Corvette Trivia

Did you know . . . .

**That the first emblem for the Corvette actually had a U.S. flag in it? But 4 days before the Corvette was introduced, GM Management said they had to remove the flag because it was improper and illegal. So they quickly replaced the U.S. flag with the red Chevrolet bow-tie and fleur-de-lis.**

2011 National Corvette Museum

February 26<sup>th</sup> – March 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Hawaiian Cruise**

April 28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>  
**C5/C6 Bash**

May 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>  
**C4/ZR1 Gathering**

September 15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>  
**Z06 Fest**

October 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>  
**Historic Motorama Reunion Tour**

November 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Vets 'n Vettes**

[www.corvettemuseum.com](http://www.corvettemuseum.com)  
**FOR MORE INFO**

**BARRETT-JACKSON  
AUCTION**

**APRIL 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> 2011**

**WEST PALM BEACH**

**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

2/5	Marj Aaron
2/18	Arnie Miller

**FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES**

**NONE**

**NOTICE**

**NCRS CAR SHOW  
JANUARY 26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>  
KISSIMMEE, FLORIDA**

**A FEW OF US WILL BE GOING TO THIS  
CAR SHOW THIS FRIDAY AND SOME  
WILL BE GOING UP ON SATURDAY.**

**IF YOU WISH TO JOIN US, CALL BILL  
AT (954) 610-5158. WE WILL BE  
LEAVING SOMETIME ON FRIDAY.**

**RESERVATIONS AT:  
SERALAGO  
5678 Irlo Bronson Memorial Hwy  
(US 192)  
Kissimmee, Fl.  
(800) 366-5437**

**Just mention the NCRS Car Show and  
the going rate will be: \$37.00 + Tx.**

**HAPPY  
VALENTINE  
DAY**

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THE ACC NEWSLETTER, JUST E-MAIL ME  
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**YOUR DUES ARE DUE BY JANUARY 1, 2011**

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