



# America's Corvette Club

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## Happy New Year!



Barbara Marshall has served as the editor of the ACC newsletter for the past twelve years. In her work as editor she supported the ACC. Her commitment to composing the newsletter each month maximizing the inclusion of members and events exhibited dedication to obtaining positive results. Her achievement deserves our thanks for a job well done. She helped the ACC exercise some of our first amendments rights.

She is the wife of Mr. Larry Marshall. They have been members of ACC, since January of 2002. She is the proud owner of a Monterey Red, 2007 corvette convertible. In the past she has owned two other corvettes, a red, 2000 coupe and a red, 2005 coupe. Her husband owns a 2000 ZR1. Until recently their son owned a 1996, Daytona 500 pace car. Barbara has a corvette family!

Barbara uses her 2007 corvette, as a daily driver. She stated that she had always dreamed of owning and driving a corvette. She enjoyed riding in Larry's Z01 so much she wanted her own. She has found that driving an eye catching corvette is always fun and always gets attention. It comes in handy as a conversation starter an asset in her business as a licensed real estate agent since 1980.

Barbara requested that Valarie Shelton assume the responsibilities as editor of ACC's newsletter. It is intended that standard of excellence that that Barbara exhibited during her tenure as the ACC's newsletter editor over the past twelve years will continue, with guidance and the input of ACC's members.

### January ACC Meetings

January 3, 2013  
January 17, 2013

### JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

None



## America's Corvette Club Holiday Party

The ACC's holiday party took place, December 8, 2012, at the Rustic Inn, in Fort Lauderdale. The party started with cocktails at 6:30 PM, a brief ceremony at 7:00 with dinner starting at 7:30. Music, singing and dancing continued throughout the evening. Festivities lasted until 11:00 PM.

Each member and guest brought an unwrapped toy for, "Toys for Tots". Two fine looking Marines were there to collect the toys to distribute to disadvantaged children during the holiday season.

The Marines chosen for the duty of attending our party were outstanding. They stood for pictures with all that requested, made polite conversation, ate dinner and departed themselves with honor and dignity in all situations. Many members thanked them personally for coming. They thanked ACC for donating the toys.

Our thanks go out to Penny Todaro and Karen Siffermann for their time and effort that went into making the party a success. They put in a lot of hard work to make the evening memorable. You are appreciated.





## Reflections in Glass car show

Report from Herb Jacobson

Herb sent an e-mail reminding all members:

- The January 3, meeting is the last business meeting prior to our car show January 19.
- Final plans will be discussed at the meeting on the 3rd.
- January 17<sup>th</sup> is the meeting to stuff goodie bags.
- A nice array of goodie bag items have been collected so many hands are needed.
- All members are requested to make a sincere effort to attend this meeting.
  - A handful of members have been doing the bulk of the planning and preparation so far.
  - EVERYONE'S help is needed.
- A variety of vendors are signed up.
- Mickey and Norma have collected quite an assortment of silent auction items.
- Everyone should have received the e-mail blast Herb sent out last week.
  - The e-mail was sent to 108 former participants.
    - Sixty-three people opened them and 8 clicked through to the links.
    - There are not many advance registrants but this is not unusual.
- Mickey and Herb Jacobson distributed over 100 flyers at Tower Shops and spoke to many people there.
- Most people had favorable comments and said they would attend.
- Herb has also printed a large poster.
  - He will take it with a new tripod stand to display it off to the dealership this week.
  - He has asked several restaurants for gift certificates.
    - All businesses that were asked donated gift certificates.
    - Everyone is encouraged to do the same for restaurants and shops they visit regularly.
  - Bring any gift certificates to the meeting on the 3rd.
- Herb will be reaching out to all committee chair people between now and the next meeting.
  - This will be to review your responsibilities, problems and needs.
- Chair people are to collaborate with their respective committees.
  - Work out final details.

To quote Herb, "The success of our show depends on the efforts of our members. The show is a lot of work but it is always worth it in the end. Please maintain a positive attitude and try to enjoy your part. Everyone has always come through in previous years and I am sure we will have a great show."

***Contact Herb Jacobson with any questions and suggestions.***



Congratulations to Mickey and Herb Jacobson on the birth of their new grandchild. She is a beautiful girl. We wish the mother and child good health.





# ACC Meeting

**December 6, 2012**

The meeting was held in the newly renovated meeting room at Maroone Chevrolet, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

- Subway sandwiches were served
- 2013 Officers announced
  - President: Jim Brackett
  - Vice President: Herb Jacobson
  - Secretary: Susan Bingaman
  - Treasurer: Bill Valentine
  - Sergeant-at-Arms: Larry Marshall
- January ACC car show discussed.
  - Progress report given by Herb Jacobson and Jim Brackett.
- 50/50 winner Steve Welch \$10.00

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Denise and John Jeseinick for their son -in-law Brett's recovery and the health of their daughter Susan and new grandchild.

Denise and John wish to thank everyone for their calls & e-mails. They were greatly appreciated.

## **2013 Dues**

**ACC membership dues should be paid  
between January 1 and January 31, 2013  
\$100.00 per couple  
\$60.00 individual membership**

## *JANUARY BIRTHDAYS*

01/03	Judy Miller
01/08	Scott Donato
01/13	Shelly Boroday
01/14	Judy Coe
01/11	Silvia Kanellos
01/18	Tom Todaro
01/19	Paulette Craig
01/25	Larry Bingaman
01/31	Anneliese Schulze



## Upcoming Events 2013

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>
1/4/2013	Ft. Lauderdale Automobile Auction
1/5/2013	Darrell Gwynn Full Throttle Show of Shows – Lighthouse Point
1/6/2013	Corvettes on the Gulf & H/D Buell of Ft. Myers Open Car and MC Show
1/6/2013	Pompano Elks Classic Car Show – Pompano
1/12/2013	Weston Town Center Classic Car Show – Weston
<b>1/13/2013</b>	<b>Renegades' Annual Car &amp; Truck Show – 10am-4pm – Sunrise</b>
<b>1/19/2013</b>	<b>America's Corvette Club 30th Annual Reflections in Glass – Fort Lauderdale</b>
1/20/2013	Broward Mall Annual Car & Truck Show – 10am-4pm – Plantation
1/20/2013	YATC Cool Wheels Car Show – Quiet Waters Park – Deerfield
1/26/2013	<b>NCRS Car Show, Kissimmee, FL</b>
1/26/2013	Sunny Isle Beach Classic Car Show – 10am-3pm – Heritage Park – Sunny Isle / Aventura
1/26/2013	Jakes Wayback Burgers Cruise Night – 5:30pm-9pm – Coconut Creek
1/27/2013	FAST EXPO Annual Car Show Keith's Rods & Customs – Ft Lauderdale
1/27/2013	North Palm Beach Hot Cars and Chili
1/27/2013	Magic City Casino 13th Year Annual OPEN Classic Car Show – Miami
2/2/2013	Project CS Annual Benefit Car Show –

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### **\*A Message from ACC President, Bill Valentine.**

**I would like to thank all of the members of America's Corvette Club for making 2012 a memorable year. I think we are all looking forward to an exciting, rewarding, new year, filled with shows, trips and continued growth toward fulfilling our potential.**

**The expression, "Thank you", is inadequate to express the debt of gratitude this club owes the handful of hardworking members that plan events, decorate, assimilate needed data, do legwork as well as donating their time, energy and finances to make things run as smoothly as possible. They have been doing their part and more. January 19<sup>th</sup>, is coming up fast. We now need everyone to pitch in and help. This is shaping up to be the ACC's best car show ever. BUT, we need your help to make it happen.**

**Let us make the year 2013 one of the best for ACC. I would also like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy, healthy and safe New Year.**