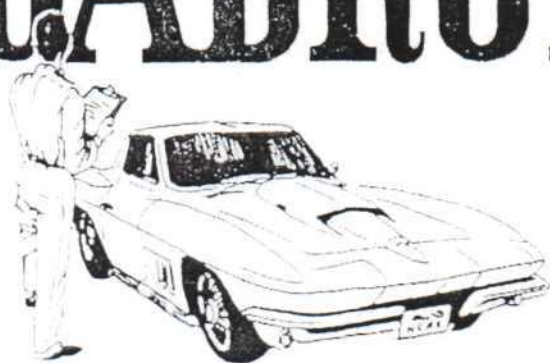


# ROADRUNNER



APRIL, 2010

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE NEW MEXICO CHAPTER NCRS

## \*COMING EVENTS\*

Apr	6,	2010	Cruise Night, Hot Rods 1950 and Older, Owl Café on Eubank, Albuquerque, NM
Apr	8,	2010	Rio Grande Corvette Club Meeting, CU Auto Sales at 7:00 PM, Albuquerque, NM
Apr	10,	2010	Cruizin' South Route 66, Bosque Farms to Los Lunas at 6:00PM, Bosque Farms, NM
Apr	11,	2010	Rio Grande Corvette Club Activity, Albuquerque, NM
Apr	15,	2010	Cruise Night, Muscle Cars 1950 and Newer, Owl Café on Eubank, Albuquerque, NM
<b>Apr</b>	<b>17,</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>NCRS New Mexico Chapter Meeting, Route 66 Cleanup, Carnuel, NM NEW DATE!!</b>
Apr	17,	2010	Cruise Night, Christian Rods & Customs, Sonic on San Mateo, Albuquerque, NM
Apr	18,	2010	Route 66 Rodders, Cruisin' at Jersey Jack's, I-25 & Jefferson, Albuquerque, NM
Apr	21,	2010	Bernalillo Cruise Night, Quizno's on Hwy 550, 5:30 PM, Bernalillo, NM Duke at 771-1881
Apr	25,	2010	Pomona Swap Meet, LA County Fairplex, Pomona, CA
Apr	28,	2010	NMCCC Meeting, Old Car Garage, Albuquerque, NM
Apr 29-May 2,	2010		Pate Swap Meet, at Texas Motor Speedway, I-35 at Texas 114, Roanoke, TX
May	2,	2010	Route 66 Rodders Swap Meet, Los Lunas, NM
May	4,	2010	Cruise Night, Hot Rods 1950 and Older, Owl Café on Eubank, Albuquerque, NM
<b>May</b>	<b>6-8,</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>NCRS Gettysburg Regional, Gettysburg, PA</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>8,</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>NCRS New Mexico Chapter Spring Judging Meet, RMCI, Albuquerque, NM</b>
May	8,	2010	Cruizin' South Route 66, Bosque Farms to Los Lunas at 6:00 PM, Bosque Farms, NM
May	13,	2010	Rio Grande Corvette Club Meeting, CU Auto Sales, Albuquerque, NM
May	16,	2010	NMCCC & Albuquerque Museum Car Show, Albuquerque Museum, Albuquerque, NM
May	16,	2010	NM Viper Club Fun Run and Car Show, Sandia Casino, Albuquerque, NM
May	19,	2010	Bernalillo Cruise Night, Quizno's on Hwy 550, 5:30 PM, Duke at 771-1881 Bernalillo, NM
<b>May</b>	<b>20-22,</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>NCRS Iowa Regional, Des Moines, IA</b>
May	20,	2010	Cruise Night, Muscle Cars, 1950 and Newer, Owl Café on Eubank, Albuquerque, NM
May	22,	2010	Cruise Night, Christian Rods & Customs, Sonic on San Mateo, Albuquerque, NM
May	23,	2010	Route 66 Rodders, Cruisin' at Jersey Jack's, I-25 at Jefferson, Albuquerque, NM
May	26,	2010	NMCCC Meeting, Old Car Garage, Albuquerque, NM
Jun	1,	2010	Cruise Night, Hot Rods 1950 and Older, Owl Café on eubank, Albuquerque, NM
Jun	6,	2010	Pomona Swap Meet, LA County Fairplex, Pomona, CA
Jun	10,	2010	Rio Grande Corvette Club Meeting, CU Auto Sales, Albuquerque, NM
<b>Jun</b>	<b>12,</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>NCRS New Mexico Chapter Meeting, Judging School, RMCI, Albuquerque, NM</b>
Jun	12,	2010	Cruizin' South Route 66, Bosque Farms to Los Lunas at 6:00 PM, Bosque Farms, NM
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Jun	17,	2010	Cruise Night, Muscle Cars 1950 and Newer, Owl Café on Eubank, Albuquerque, NM
Jun	19,	2010	Main Street Car Show, Durango, CO Steve Wylie, (970) 247-8761
Jun	23,	2010	NMCCC Meeting, Old Car Garage, Albuquerque, NM
<b>**Every Saturday**</b>			<b>Donut Derelicts, 8:00 AM, Hang out at Jefferson &amp; Sun, Albuquerque, NM</b>

For more information on these and many other automotive events go to <http://nmcarcouncil.org>

## **APRIL MEETING - PLEASE NOTE NEW DATE!!!**

The April meeting of the New Mexico Chapter, NCRS will be at 8:30 Am on Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup>. This is the Spring Route 66 Highway Cleanup Session. We will meet at the Grant headquarters just east of milepost 5 on NM Hwy 333; east of Carnuel. Gloves, sturdy shoes, hat, and so forth. Come one, come all and it'll go quick. Thanks.

## **MAY**

Scheduled for May is our Spring Chapter Judging Meet, which will be held on May 8<sup>th</sup> at the RMCi office on Chappell Road, NE. We will have a short business meeting at 8:30, and proceed with judging. If you wish to have your car judged, it is VERY IMPORTANT to let Bill Baker know in advance so he can obtain the necessary forms. Call Bill at (505) 250-2113. The NCRS Iowa Regional in Des Moines is also in May on the 20<sup>th</sup> through the 22<sup>nd</sup> if you're planning to go, and the New Mexico Council of Car Clubs / Albuquerque Museum Car Show is on Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>.

## **JUNE**

In June, we will have a judging school at the RMCi office on the 12<sup>th</sup>. The following weekend is the Main Street Car Show in Durango. We will caravan up on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup>, do the show and cruise on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup>, and return home on Sunday.

## **HAPPY HOURS**

The happy hour get togethers we have had have been enjoyable and well attended, and we'd like to continue these events. We'll be adding more of them to our calendar. If anyone has an idea for the next happy hour, or wants to host one, please let us know. The Pyzels put on the last one, and it was lots of fun, so let's do more!!

## **BIRTHDAYS**

4/1 Cathy Allen  
4/7 Nancy Brame  
4/7 Rich Reif  
4/16 Mary Ann Lindahl  
4/16 Billie Pyzel

4/17 Marty Hall  
4/25 Ray Battaglini  
4/26 Mark Diamond  
4/29 Steve Walker  
Many Happy Returns!!!!

NATIONAL CORVETTE RESTORERS SOCIETY  
NEW MEXICO CHAPTER  
Minutes of Proceedings

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Meeting

13 March 2010

The meeting was called to order by our President Billie Pyzel at 9:25 a.m.

A motion was made by Steve Walker to accept the previous minutes as written, this was seconded by Bill Baker and passed.

Visitors were introduced,

Buck in a box was won by Billie Pyzel and donated to the chapter.

Treasures report: Eli Maestes gave the Treasurer's report, we have \$4,181.35.

Judging Report: Bill Baker stated the chapter judging meet will be May 8<sup>th</sup> at R.M.C.I and he has upgraded all the materials for the Regional Meet.

Fritz Allen gave a progress report for the Oct. Regional. The meet sign up information will be in the next Driveline Magazine.

Tim Alton reported that the Santa Fe members want to contribute by cooking for the Judge's lunch. They would like the chapter to contribute the food. This was well received by the membership.

Pete Lindahl reported that our parts swap list in our newsletter is available for items to go into its Parts for Sale section.

Bill Henn and Tim Alton gave information and flyers for the upcoming July 11<sup>th</sup> 2010, Ninth Annual "Summer in Hyde Park" cruise and family picnic.

Steve Walker reported on the June 18<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> car show in Durango, Colo.

New Business: March 31, there will be a meeting for further planning of the Regional. The meeting will be at the Pyzel's. Everyone is welcome!

A motion was made by Steve Walker, seconded by Bill Baker to adjourn at 9:50 am.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Jack Barnett

**NATIONAL CORVETTE RESTORERS SOCIETY**  
**Board of Directors Meeting**  
**March 20, 2010**

NCRS Board of directors Meeting was called to order at 8:45 a.m.

Present were:

Vito Cimilluca, Dick Capello, Gary Chesnut, Arland Dower, Marilyn Heitzman, Tom Hincz, Dennis Kazmierzak, Ed Vignone,, Dick Whittington  
Joan Burnett, Carlton Colclough, Jeff Cook, Larry Colvin, Mark Lincoln, Eric Mortimer, Gary Mortimer, Vinnie Peters, John Pirkle, Roy Sinor, John Waggoner

Dick Whittington provided a proxy designating Dick Capello as voting in his absence later in the meeting.

Vito introduced the following new Board members and roles:

Marilyn Heitzman as Vice President  
Dick Capello as Region I Representative  
Larry Colvin as Secretary  
Mark Lincoln as Business Manager  
Dana Forrester as National Corvette Museum Representative

**Election/Appointment of Officers, Managers and Editors**

The following people were unanimously elected by the Board:

- Vito Cimilluca as President
- Marilyn Heitzman as Vice President
- Larry Colvin as Secretary
- Jeff Cook as Finance Director
- Gary Mortimer as Membership Chairman
- Eric Mortimer as Editor of the *Driveline*
- Vinnie Peters as Editor of *The Restorer*
- Roy Sinor as National Judging Chairman
- Mark Lincoln as Business Manager
- Joan Burnett as Chairman of the NCRS Foundation
- Dana Forrester as National Corvette Museum Representative.

**2010 National Convention in Charlotte, NC:** John Pirkle reported that the site for the Convention will be at the zMAX Dragway (see National Convention information on the NCRS web site) and all other arrangements are on schedule. The Board members toured the facility and the show field. All show cars will be on concrete and in the shade most of the day. A couple luxury suites will be used for judges' meals and the tab room.

All agreed that the change will not make a difference in the National – it will be a fantastic show.

Road Tour registrations are coming in – currently over 60 cars will be participating. A replacement for Bill is still needed.

**2013 National Convention:** The Mid-Atlantic Chapter will host the 2013 National Convention in Hampton, Virginia at the Hampton Roads Convention Center. John Yglesias was named Chairman.

Dan Litvinoff of Superior Meeting Services (SMS) discussed his organization's capabilities to help in NCRS National and Regional planning. They locate and negotiate contracts for hotels and site locations at no cost to NCRS. More details will be provided to hosting Chapters.

**Membership/Sales** – Eric Mortimer reports there are 100-150 new members per month, and about the same number of non-renewals per month, leaving total membership steady. *Driveline* advertising is steady while sales are down from the previous year.

**Business Report** – Mark Lincoln reports that the NCRS relationship with Barrett-Jackson has been good for NCRS - not only with income revenue but also the positive exposure on Speed Channel. Mark also reported that the new On-Line Merchandise Store is up and running through our association with Charleton Commerce. Charleton Commerce does the work and NCRS receives a percentage of the sales revenue at no cost to the organization.

**National Judging Chairman Report** – Roy Sinor reports he is working on an Owners Manual which will explain the judging process and updating the Judges Reference Manual. He is also working with the Manual Coordinators to update several of the Judging Manuals this year.

**National Corvette Museum** - John Pirkle gave his last report before handing the responsibility of NCM Representative over to Dana Forrester. John reported that the NCM membership is increasing and they are optimistic about their growth potential. NCM purchased 70 acres close to the Museum for the development of a motor sports park.

**Restorer Editor** – Vinnie Peters said technical article contributions are increasing and he appreciates the member participation. Vito commented that he has not heard one negative comment about the *Restorer* since Vinnie assumed responsibility for it. Good work Vinnie!!!

**Public Relations** – Carlton Colclough reported on the Charity Matching Program and reminded everyone that the checks will be made out to the Charity but sent to the Chapter Chairman. The checks will go out in April.

#### 2010 Sponsorship for National Convention:

- Hendricks has made a large contribution.
- There are two sponsors ready to provide the something for the judges – shirts were discussed.

### Committee Reports

Chapter Top Flight Program – A multi-year Chapter Top Flight Award Banner was introduced by Marilyn Heitzman. The new banner will include multiple-year awards on a single banner. Beginning January 1, 2010, the Chapter Top Flight Program will be administered by Arland Dower.

International Mark of Excellence Award – Roy Sinor reported that the team has completed the requirements to earn an International Mark of Excellence Award. Roy thanked the team for their hard work and dedication to the project.

2012 Regional Meet Proposals – Marilyn Heitzman presented the list of proposals and the following chapters and locations were approved:

Jan. 25 – 28	Florida – Kissimmee
March 8 – 10	Arizona – Tucson
May 3 -5	Northwest – Seaside, OR
June 7 – 9	North Central – Rochester, MN
Sept. 6 – 9	Pittsburgh – Altoona
Oct. 18 -20	Texas - Waco

NCRS Archives - Vito is working with Michael Pierce to get NCRS archives to the National Corvette Museum. An updated report will be provided at the July, 2010, Board meeting.

Web Site/Technical Board/Data Base/On-line - John Waggoner gave the following updates:

- Database can now hold family member names.
- The report generator is now available – Regional Directors were asked to test the many capabilities such as forms printing and mass-mailing lists.
- Chapters are now responsible for maintaining officers and member rolls on-line.
- Car database is currently in test and data validation phase.

Information Technology Plan – Gary Chesnut gave the following update:

- Most new members come to NCRS via the web site.
- Gary, John Waggoner and Larry Colvin will evaluate the revenue generating prospect of adding a rotating advertising banner to the web site. Vito proposed

finding one or more members with marketing experience to advise the Board on marketing strategy and direction.

- On-line Election Voting for Regional Directors will be complete and ready for Region 4, 5 and 6 elections. A confirming email will be sent to on-line voters.

On-line National Convention Registration – John Waggoner estimates the system will be live for the 2011 National Convention & Road Tour registration

Chapter Report – the Midway USA Chapter has completed all probationary requirements and was unanimously accepted as our newest NCRS Chapter. Welcome Midway!!!

By-Laws Change – The following By-Law change was proposed and passed:

22.6 Guest registration fee for NCRS Events is valid for non-NCRS members only. All Registration forms are to include the words “**Guest (Non-NCRS members only)**”.

- NCRS members cannot be the guest of another NCRS member.
- NCRS members who wish to attend an NCRS event must register

This addition above is to be added to all appropriate guidelines including National By-Laws, Chapter Guidelines, Convention Guidelines and Regional Guidelines.

Regional Director Reports - All Directors reported all chapters are doing well and keeping membership up - matching 2009 or slightly below. All Chapters are working on event planning for 2010.

The Meeting adjourned at 5:45 PM

**Date of the next Board meeting – July 18, 2010**

**NATIONAL CORVETTE RESTORERS SOCIETY  
NCRS Foundation Board Meeting  
March 20, 2010**

NCRS Foundation Board Meeting was called to order at 5:45 a.m.

Present were:

Vito Cimilluca, Dick Capello, Gary Chesnut, Arland Dower, Marilyn Heitzman, Tom Hincz, Dennis Kazmierzak, Ed Vignone  
Joan Burnett, Carlton Colclough, Jeff Cook, Larry Colvin, Mark Lincoln, Eric Mortimer, Gary Mortimer, Vinnie Peters, John Pirkle, Roy Sinor, John Waggoner

Dick Whittington provided a proxy designating Dick Capello as voting in his absence

**Foundation Report –**

Joan Burnett provided the following Foundation update:

**Foundation Membership:**

115 Charter Members as of 12/31/2008 contributing a minimum of \$20.

- 64 recognized at 2009 National
  - 3 Diamond Level \$5000 +
  - 10 Emerald Level \$1000-\$4999
  - 17 Ruby Level \$500-\$999
  - 34 Sapphire Level \$100-\$499
- 6 Charter Chapters as of 12/31/2008 contributing a minimum of \$100
- All Charter Membership Certificates have been mailed to members not present at national

**2009 Contributors – Thank you letters mailed:**

- New Foundation Members
- 2 New Chapter members
- 9 donations from Charter members/chapters
- \$1000 Marvin Burnett Memorial Gift
- NCRS National

**2009 Total Contributions: \$38,858.96**

### Scholarship Program:

- An Independent Scholarship Selection committee was utilized to make Scholarship Selections for the 2009-2010 school year.
  - 4 - \$1000 General Scholarships awarded
  - 1 - \$1000 Marvin Burnett Memorial Scholarship awarded
- 2010-2011 Scholarship Application will be accepted until July 1, 2010.  
Revised application to appear in March/April Driveline.

Meeting adjourned at 6:05 PM

## NM NCRS Chapter Parts Swap (April 2010)

### PARTS FOR SALE:

- **Keys, Briggs & Stratton w/ GM/B&S Logo Head, KEY NUMBER Stamped on KNOCK OUT, & w/ Registered Trademark ® on B&S Logo (NOS & Excellent Used)** – Hundreds of KEY NUMBERS available for 63M-66 Corvettes w/ octagon head keys & 65-66 Corvettes w/ round head keys. Original factory stamped keys, \$10 to \$30 each depending on condition. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (4-10)
- **Keys, Briggs & Stratton w/ GM/B&S Logo Head, KEY NUMBER Stamped on KNOCK OUT, & w/ o Registered Trademark ® on B&S Logo (NOS & Excellent Used)** – Hundreds of KEY NUMBERS available for 54-63E Corvettes w/ octagon head keys. Original factory stamped keys, \$10 to \$25 each depending on condition. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (4-10)
- **Parts for 1970 Corvette** – Rochester carb 7040204, engine block 3963512 (casting date J289), heads 3964290 (casting dates K269 & L49, intake manifold 3955287 (casting date B970, seat frames, front suspension, rear suspension & differential, frame, rear body panels, right & left fenders, deck, T tops, right & left doors, right and left side glass, rear glass & frame, wheels (5) dated, brake calipers, rotors, power steering valve, cylinder, relay rod & pitman arm. For details contact Dennis @ 303.748.8235 or [dennis@rockymountaincorvette.com](mailto:dennis@rockymountaincorvette.com) (1-10)
- **Rear Springs** – 1961 rebuilt w/ new liners and straps, p/n 3751438, dated 285E0, \$475. For details contact Dennis @ 303.748.8235 or [dennis@rockymountaincorvette.com](mailto:dennis@rockymountaincorvette.com) (1-10)
- **ANCO Windshield Wiper Blades, 65-67 15" OE by ANCO** – Holders (NOS & Used) 65 w/ bright polish finish & 66-67 w/ brushed finish; Refills (NOS) 65-67 w/2-lines & "correct" Patent Number; Flex Tops (New) 65-67 stainless steel. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (4-10)
- **TRICO Windshield Wiper Blades, 63-67 15"** – Holders (NOS & Used) 63-65 w/ bright polish finish & flat top, 66 E/M w/ brushed finish 7 flat top, 66L/67 w/ brushed finish & peaked top; Refills (NOS) 63-65 w/ "Skidposts (Dots) (call), 66-67 w/3-lines & Patent Numbers. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (4-10)
- **Spare Tire Locks w/ Key (Used)** – 63E (w/o drain hole) \$125; 63L-'65 (w/ 1/4" drain hole) \$125; 66 (w/ 5/16" drain hole) \$125; 67 & newer (w/ "B" keyway) \$125; 68 & newer (w/ "D" keyway) \$100; 69 & newer (w/ "H" keyway) \$100; 70 and newer (w/ "K" keyway) \$100. Key spare tire lock to your KEY CODE, \$15. For details contact Pete @ (505) 663-0995 or E-mail [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (3-10)
- **Cover, Spare Tire Lock (New)** – 63M & newer w/ spare tire lock, GM p/n 38 41701, \$12. For details contact Pete @ (505) 663-0995 or E-mail [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (3-10)
- **Horn Relays, Delco-Remy (NOS)** – Delco-Remy embossed on covers. 53-54 w/ 6v (1116775) \$75; 58-62 (1116781) \$125; 63-65 (1115824) \$225; 66-67 (1115837) \$275; 68-69E (1115862) \$225; 69L-70 (1115890) \$225; 71 (1115889) \$125. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net) (3-10)

### WANTED:

- **Parts for NM NCRS Chapter Parts Swap** – Contact the NM Chapter NCRS Swapmeister, Pete Lindahl, @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net)
- **Rebuildable Cores wanted** - TI Amp boxes & distributors; Front suspension A-Arms, Upper & Lower—63-82. Mike Zamora @ 505.323.6388 or [mike\\_zamora@hotmail.com](mailto:mike_zamora@hotmail.com)

### RESTORATION SERVICES:

- **Aluminum Wheel Restoration** – I restore Kelsey-Hayes aluminum wheels, both Knock-Off and Bolt-On. Most wheels can be saved. Let's see if yours can be saved. For details contact Bill [bwilhelm@unm.edu](mailto:bwilhelm@unm.edu) (preferred) or call after 6 PM MST @ 505. 771.2729
- **Key & Lock Service** – Keys cut to the KEY CODE with Curtis Key Cutter just like at your Chevrolet Dealer. Alarm, door, glovebox, ignition, rear compartment, & spare tire locks keyed. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net)

- **Windshield Wiper Arm Restoration/Repair Service** – Mid-year Corvette windshield wiper arm restoration & repair service, restoration - restore wiper arm & finish as original; repair - replace broken rivets, springs, & clips, and “wrenched-on” base pieces. For details contact Pete @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net)
- **Specialized Restoration** - TI Amp box w/original electronics; Headlight Motors w/new main gears; Power Window Motors, Vent Window Regulators w/new gears. For details contact Mike Zamora @ 505.323.6388 or [mike\\_zamora@hotmail.com](mailto:mike_zamora@hotmail.com)

**NOTICE:**

- NM NCRS Parts Swap- Available to all NM NCRS members including spouses and significant others who have or have access to automotive parts for sale or to be given away to a good home or garage. Listing will run for 4 months unless cancelled earlier. Contact the NM Chapter NCRS Swapmeister, Pete Lindahl, @ 505.663.0995 or [pclindahl@comcast.net](mailto:pclindahl@comcast.net)

**CARS FOR SALE:**

- **1978 Corvette Pace Car**, Early Car #115, Only 33,000 miles, L-82, Automatic, AM/FM/CB, Drives Great! Call Jack Barnette 505-263-4822 email [dbarn25952@aol.com](mailto:dbarn25952@aol.com)