

Southeastern Wisconsin



Corvette Club

# November 2006 (Revised Edition 11/13/06)

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**Refer to Monthly SEWCC newsletter**

**or**

**club website [sewcc.com](http://www.sewcc.com) for next months meeting  
location and date**

## MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

**November 5, 2006**

The regular monthly meeting was brought to order by President, Dick Krueger at 7:00PM on Sunday, November 5 at Ron's Place in Kenosha. Eighteen members were present and one guest, Eva and Ed Stefanski's daughter. Dick Graceffa, registered member since the August Car Show, introduced himself. Dick owns a Classic '76 Corvette, color orange flame.

### **SECRETARYS REPORT**

No Board Meeting – No Report

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Kim Manna reported total balance.

### **ADVERTISING REPORT**

No Report

### **QUARTERMASTERS REPORT**

No Report

## OLD BUSINESS

The La Crosse Fall Color Run that took place on October 27-29 consisted of 8 cars, 16 members. Even though the fall color was practically over, the run turned out to one of fun and adventure, with many beautiful sights and scenery taken in. The four members present, who went on the run, indicated a good time was had by all.

Sunday's function of the Lake Geneva Poker Run is the day corvette clubs receive gift items for their participation in the run. Ed and Eva Stefanski, having attended the Sunday event, presented President, Dick Krueger with this year's gift of 10 free poker hands for next year and a bottle of Cabernet Sauvignon wine.

President, Dick Krueger read a Thank You letter from the American Snipers Organization for our donation of \$500.00.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Chevy/Vette Fest is being held on November 18 and 19 at the Stevens Center in Rosemont.

The 2006 Holiday Dinner will be held on Saturday, December 16th at Harbor Lites Yacht Club, 559 State Street, Racine, WI (262-634-9280). Dress attire will be semi-formal.

A motion was made by Tom Walther, seconded by Eva Stefanski, to pay \$50.00 hall rental fee, of which \$25.00 will be refunded. Motion voted and passed.

Kim Manna made a motion, seconded by Eva Stefanski to include \$1.00 dessert charge in the cost of the dinner. Motion voted and passed.

Dinner items selected are **Filet Mignon and NY Strip Steak (\$23.00)** and **Chicken Breast (\$22.00)**. **These prices include tax, gratuity and the following dinner items; salad with house vinaigrette, rolls, your choice of baked, mashed, roasted red potatoes, rice pilaf, or parsley buttered noodles, a vegetable and dessert.**

This is a sit down dinner. Dinner will be served at 7:00PM. **Money for dinner is needed no later than December 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Mail a check to Connie Krueger, 5130 Terrace High, Racine, WI 53406 made out to SEWCC or bring check or money to the December 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting at Ron's Place.

Pre-party event will take place at the Krueger's starting at 5:00PM. After dinner party will be at the Schneider's. Those wishing to participate in the gift exchange may bring one item in the price range of \$10.00-\$15.00, wrapped and marked, woman's gift or man's gift.

Dues for next year will remain the same as last year with a motion made by Kim Manna, second by Connie Krueger. Motion passed.

### **Dues for 2007**

#### **Email Newsletter:**

- \$30/yr plus \$10.00 door prize at 2005 Car Show
- (pro rated at 2.50/ per month for new members)

#### **Mailed Newsletter:**

- \$45/yr plus \$10.00 door prize at 2005 Car Show
- (pro rated at 3.75/ per month for new members)

Club members should **pay dues ASAP**

Following are next years nominated officers:

Vice President: Ed Stefanski (will think about it)

Mike Siltala

Secretary: Jeannie Schneider (will think about it)

Kendall Gentz

Treasurer: Kim Manna (will consider it)

Advertiser: Eva Stefanski (will think about it)

Quartermaster: Mike Means

Nominations for next years Board Members were tabled until next months meeting with a motion by Kim Manna, seconded by Jeannie Schneider, voted and passed.

Lisa Mauer, wife of a Racine policeman, was diagnosed with cancer and has undergone many treatments. Cancer had been in remission but is back. All of the medical benefits and funds for this family have been depleted. A benefit was held tonight at Wilburs BBQ Restaurant with proceeds going to the Mauer family. Due to this being our meeting night we were unable to attend this event. Tom Walther made a motion, seconded by Jeannie Schneider, to donate \$500.00 to the Mauer family. Motion voted and passed.

Our next monthly business meeting will be on Sunday, December 3rd, at Ron's Place, Kenosha, WI.

No further business, a motion was made by Tom Walther, second by Kim Manna to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:55PM.

### **Secretary's Corner**

Thanksgiving Day is just around the corner and is one of my favorite holidays of the year. Our day of Thanksgiving is very different then the day of the Pilgrims.

The English colonists we call pilgrims celebrated days of thanksgiving as part of their religion. But these were days of prayer, not days of feasting. Our national holiday really stems from the feast held in the autumn of 1621 by the Pilgrims and the Wampanoag to celebrate the colony's first successful harvest.

Massacoit, the Great Sachem, or chief, of the Wampanoag, made the two-day journey on foot with his wife and 90 men to visit Plymouth Colony. His visit coincided with the colony's harvest feast, and the Pilgrims invited the Wampanoag to join them.

Having meat on the table meant shooting it yourself. Ducks were probably the main course. Waterfowl was very plentiful in the Bay area. The Pilgrim women roasted the duck over an open fire while the children ground corn into cornmeal. Massacoit sent several of his men out to hunt deer, or venison, as deer meat was one of the Wampanoag's favorite dishes.

There is only one written account of the first Thanksgiving and turkey isn't mention. Sweet potatoes and cranberry sauce weren't even invented yet. In addition to duck and venison, the meal consisted of seafood, cabbage, onions, corn and squash.

Between meals, the Wampanoag and Pilgrims played games. One of the grown up games was target shooting. There was also singing and dancing.

Quite a difference from todays celebration. I think I prefer todays. I do like sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce,. Turkey and of course, pumpkin pie with whipped cream.. I want to take this time to wish you all a very bountiful, blessed Thanksgiving Day.

Your SEWCC Secretary

MaryAnn

**ITEM FOR SALE**

78 Corvette with Silver anniversary option is for sale: L48 engine, automatic trans, PS, PB, PW, Tilt and Tele, Oyster Leather Interior, A/C and AM/FM Stereo, 55 K Miles, Stainless brakes, in very good condition. 12 K firm. Contact Dan Wooster: 262-632-8571

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## November 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>5</b> SEWCC Meeting Ron's Place 7 PM Kenosha, WI	6	7	8	9	10	<b>11 Veterans Day</b> 
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	<b>23 Thanksgiving</b> 	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>3 SEWCC Meeting</b> Ron's Place 7 PM Kenosha, WI	4	4	6	7	8	9
0	11	12	13	14	15	<b>16 SEWCC Holiday Dinner, Harbor Lites Yacht Club, Kenosha, WI 7PM</b>
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<b>24 Christmas Eve</b> 	<b>25 Christmas Day</b> 	26	27	28	29	30
<b>31 New Years Eve</b> 						