

# CRUISE NEWS

## NORTH COUNTY CORVETTE CLUB



Photo by Sam Rindskopf

March Field Air Museum, July 2015

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# President's Corner

Hello North County Corvette Members

July was my first month as President of NCOCC, backed up by a great board. Some are seasoned, like Mark and Ruth Harwell, Gary Sadnick, and longtime members, Jack Grindstaff and Laura Brandon.



We also welcome new members to the board, Norma Miyamoto, Activities Coordinator, Renee Toomey, Newsletter Editor, plus Rob Roth and Jack Miyamoto, Members at Large, who welcome guests and new members.

I would like to thank the members who contributed to this newsletter! We're glad to have your input! We will be looking for ways to involve members more directly throughout the year.

July was very busy with members participating in Spirit of the 4<sup>th</sup> (led by Bob Brown), March Air Field Museum (led by Tim Murray), Main Street America (led by Sam Rindskopf), and the Recognition Dinner.

We presented our donation of the proceeds of Plastic Fantastic as well as the raffle to our charity, the USO of San Diego. It was the largest ever thanks to the entire club effort as well as our awesome leaders, Tim Murray and Dave Regenhardt. Hint, hint, hint!

Bob and Carol Haller, who have been handling our monthly raffle, finally won the cooler they've been hoping for at the Recognition Dinner. Hmmm, what will they come up with next?

With summer time here and fun events for our members. I hope to see all of you at the past President's Picnic, rumored to include some great barbeque from Grill Master, Sam.

I am proud to be a member of NCOCC and look forward to seeing you at our August 11<sup>th</sup> business meeting

Drive Careful and enjoy your Corvette!

Rick Toomey

# Happy Birthday

## Officers

### President:

Rick Toomey

### Vice President:

Mark Harwell

### Secretary:

Ruth Harwell

### Treasurer:

Gary Sadnick

### Activities Coordinator:

Norma Miyamoto

### Newsletter Editor:

Renee Toomey

### Club Historian

Laura Brandon

### Sergeant-at-Arms:

Jack Grindstaff

### Past President:

Sam Rindskopf

## Appointees

### Members-at-Large:

Jack Miyamoto

Rob Roth

### Raffle:

Bob Haller

Carol Haller

### Webmaster:

Ed Daher

### NCM Representative:

Bob Hurst

### Charity Representative:

Bob Belzman

### Car Club Council(s):

Jan Houshar (San Diego)

Terry Thompson (Southern)

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| Sheila Kopelowitz | 2  |
| Karen Alexander   | 3  |
| Wayne Osborne     | 4  |
| Ray Hower         | 5  |
| Dwight Alexander  | 6  |
| George Marks      | 13 |
| Bob Hurst         | 14 |
| Cathy Lewis       | 17 |
| Claudia Nabours   | 21 |
| Ruth Harwell      | 26 |
| Candi Daher       | 29 |

## MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

I hope you enjoy this month's newsletter from your new newsletter person.

I've decided to ask various members to give me a short blurb about an event they attended, hoping we will get a fresh perspective.

There was a lot going on during July so there are lots of photos.

Please feel free to contact me at the meetings or by email at [mrsr2me@yahoo.com](mailto:mrsr2me@yahoo.com) with any corrections or ideas for articles to feature here.

Enjoy! Renee T.

# Events Calendar

## **August 2015**

- 1 Greatest Show on Turf
- 8 24<sup>th</sup> Annual National City Festival and Car Show Automobile Heritage Day
- 11 NCoCC Business Meeting. The Well Church. 7:00pm
- 16 Past President's Picnic
- 23 Picnic by the Bay 2015, Seaport Village
- 27 NCoCC Board Meeting. Mainstream Bar & Grill. 7:00pm
- 29 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Christian Rods and Customs "Classic Car and Bike Show"  
Faith Chapel, Spring Valley

## **September**

- 4-5 Al Bahr Shrine Car Show, Kearny Mesa Road at Al Bahr Shrine
- 8 NCoCC Business Meeting. The Well Church. 7:00pm
- 19-20 Fleet Week Coronado Speed Festival
- 24 NCoCC Board Meeting. Mainstream Bar & Grill. 7:00pm
- 25-27 Historic Prescott Corvette Car Show
- 26 South Bay Cruisers "On the Bay 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Classic Car Show", Chula Vista

## **October**

- 3 The Camaro Club of SD presents the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Classic , Seaport Village
- 11 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Fifth Avenue Auto Showcase
- 13 NCoCC Business Meeting. The Well Church. 7:00pm
- 18 Cops & Rodders Fall Pow Wow, SD Embarcadero
- 22 NCoCC Board Meeting. Mainstream Bar & Grill. 7:00pm
- 24 Borrego Days Desert Festival

## **November**

- 10 NCoCC Business Meeting. The Well Church. 7:00pm

## **December**

- 8 NCoCC Business Meeting. The Well Church. 7:00pm



# THE SPIRIT OF THE FOURTH RANCHO BERNARDO

**JULY 4, 2015**



Photos by Bob Brown



A few of our members attended The Spirit of The Fourth celebration put on by Poway Cruisers on July 4th, in Rancho Bernardo.

The event included the car show, a patriotic quilt show, pet costume contest, and many vendors.

Those in attendance included Bob Brown, Sam and Donna Rindskopf, Jack and Lynn Grindstaff, and Rick and Renee Toomey.



## TRIP TO MARCH FIELD MUSEUM JULY 12, 2015

Sunday, July 12, started with a meet-up at North County Fair with fellow members of NCOCC.

On the agenda, a nice cruise to Riverside County for a tour of the March Field Museum. The drive was great, always fun to be in a Corvette parade!

Our guide at the museum was a retired Air Force radar operator. He was very knowledgeable and kept us intrigued and interested in all of the airplanes and displays.

After the tour, we were free to wander around the museum at our own pace.

Afterward, the group headed out to Portillo's in Moreno Valley for lunch, so Valerie and I got our hands stamped at the museum so we could return after lunch. The food, atmosphere, and conversation were great.

Valerie and I returned to the museum after lunch to study the exhibits and make a small donation to the gift shop.

Speaking of donations, there were enough members attending to allow us a discount on admission. After a little discussion, the group decided to donate the refund to the museum. The staff at the museum was surprised by this.

Submitted by Scott Peele with a little addition by Renee Toomey

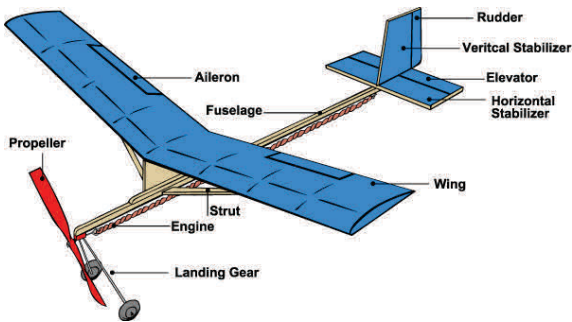
Photos by Sam Rindskopf and Bob Brown







More pictures from  
March Field Museum



## WINNER! WINNER!

Congratulations to Lois Goodman on winning a blue ribbon AND Best of Show at the San Diego Fair for her collage with the theme, "A Fair to Remember". It features the Cabrillo Bridge at Balboa Park and scenes from the 1915 Exposition held there. Good going, Lois!



# *Main Street America*

*July 19, 2015*

Despite the heat, humidity, and threat of rain, 13 of us braved the elements to attend COCSD's show.

There was a good turnout which included some cars from Baja. They had a nice raffle as usual.

Rick and I had to high tail it out of the show before the end because our convertible top would not go up! We learned some things about driving in the rain, like leave your windows up so as long as you are traveling at highway speeds, the rain will just go right over you. Slow down, and the rain comes into the car. Funny thing about that. Thankfully, we were able to travel at highway speeds through the rain.

Submitted by Renee Toomey







**HOT!**

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*Annual Recognition Dinner*  
*Stoneridge Country Club*  
*July 26, 2015*

The Recognition Dinner was held at the beautiful Stoneridge Country Club in Poway on Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>. We had a great turnout of 54 people including our USO representative and the man who took the video at Plastic Fantastic with the drone.

We were glad to see so many of our members receive recognition for jobs well done.

It was especially gratifying to see our president, Rick Toomey, give Sgt. Major Bobby Woods, representing the USO, a check in the amount of \$6,140 which we had raised from Plastic Fantastic show. He was most gracious and appreciative in his acceptance.

The club also presented our videographer with a gift card in appreciation for the video.

Submitted by Paul and Lois Goodman



Photos by Bob Brown





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Let's Party!







**More photos from the Recognition Dinner**

Thanks to everyone who contributed to a great 2014-15 year!

Here's to a wonderful 2015-16!





SMILE!



Tim Murray and Dave Regenhardt presented a check to the USO of San Diego for \$6,140 to Sgt. Major Bobby Woods.





## Our Club

Club members enjoy planned trips, car shows, fun runs, auto rallies, and a host of social and Corvette related events, including a Holiday Party, an Annual Recognition Dinner, and the NCoCC Plastic Fantastic all Corvette Show at Seaport Village. We support local communities in the San Diego County area by participating in special event parades and high school homecoming events. Our members also devote time, energy, and resources in supporting our club charity, the USO (United Services Organization) of San Diego.



## NCoCC Cruise News

Editor: Renee Toomey

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Scott Peele

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Lois Goodman

Paul Goodman

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## Meetings

Business Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at The Well Church Meeting Room located at 13604 Midland Road, Poway, CA. We always welcome and encourage guests to attend our meetings and to participate in our club sponsored events.

For a map of our meeting location, please go to our web site at [www.ncocc.com](http://www.ncocc.com).

## Membership

Membership is open to anyone at least 18 years of age who owns a Corvette. Applicants must attend two business meetings and participate in one club event before becoming a member.

Membership in NCoCC entitles you to:

A membership card for you and your significant other.

Discounts on parts and service at participating dealers (Bob Stall and others).

A club T-shirt.

Name tags for you and your significant other.

A newsletter via Email and/or the web site.

Members are expected to attend Business Meetings, maintain current dues, and support the club by serving on committees and participating in club events. Initiation fee is \$25. Dues are paid in advance: \$75 for one year.

We hope this short introduction is helpful. If you have any questions, please contact us via email at [info@ncocc.com](mailto:info@ncocc.com).