VETTE CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Dedicated to the ownership of the Greatest American Sports Car ever Made!!

Do you own a Corvette, or more than one, and you're looking for a Corvette club to become part of? We welcome you to cruise through our site and if you like what you see, visit our Contact Us page and click on the application link at the bottom and become part of a great club!! Our goal is to promote the ownership of a Corvette and provide a fun, casual club from which to do it.

CORVETTE

Proudly Celebrating 45 Years

For Corvettes Only Inc, is a relativity small corvette club serving Southeastern Connecticut since 1976, and is an active club formed to join together people interested in pursuing the enjoyment of Chevrolet Corvettes. Our club encourages responsible ownership and maintenance of Corvettes and organizes activities, socials gatherings, fun cruises, functions for both enjoyment and education of our members. FCO Inc. attends and hosts many functions throughout the year and caravans to other Corvette events in the New England area.

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FCO Inc. is one of the few Corvette clubs where both halves of a couple can be full-fledged members even though they only have one Corvette. We also hope that you contribute to FCO, Inc.by bringing new ideas and keeping the club as dynamic and interesting an organization as it can be. FCO Inc. is always seeking new members, as we want to help you better understand and enjoy your Corvette

Letter From the President

As summer heats up we are planning more events for our club members to enjoy. It is very important to have your correct contact info so we can get the word out to you. Recently 22 Members enjoyed a high speed ferry cruise to Block Island on the Block Island Express' dinner run. For anyone that did not go we will be looking to make this a yearly event. Many of our weekly cruise events such as Ocean Beach and the Colchester Green have been affected by an unusually wet July but we are keeping our fingers crossed for some drier weather and cooler temps for our weekend cruises. As you all know our show is coming up in September which is only around the corner and we will need all hands on deck as they say for this event. Other clubs have been reaching out so we are expecting a large turnout. If there is anyone that has not signed up for the show committees please see Mark or Jerry. Please send photos of you and your car to Gary Klare so we can update the member section of the website. We have added a few new members so will be sending out an updated contact list to the club members. I look forward to seeing you all at our August meeting and remember to get those gift baskets together for the show and inform that committee of what you are doing so we can figure out how many tables we will need.

Sincerely,

Bob Sicuranza

President

Featured Vette Of The Month

Currently President Bob Sicuranza is the owner of a 2015 Z06 7 Speed 3 LZ. Bob participated in the 25th Anniversary Caravan to the National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green Kentucky and drove the Tail of the Dragon .This month Bob will be going to Vettes at Carlisle with members of our For Corvettes Only Family. Bob is always actively looking for destinations for those weekend cruises and is a great leader of the rides! Bob is participating in Track Day at Thompson Motor Speedway . Bob and his wife Paula both have owned Corvettes and we are sure Paula will be getting another one soon!

Bob's Corvettes

Calendar of Events 2021 - 2022

August 2021	• Corvettes at Carlisle. August 26-28, 2021. Carlisle PA Fairgrounds, Carlisle, PA • The monthly meeting will be held on August 3rd beginning at 6:30PM at the Flanders Fish House in Flanders. (Social distancing will be observed)
September 2021	• The monthly meeting will be held on September 7th beginning at 6:30PM at the Flanders Fish House in Flanders • 9/19/2021. For Corvettes Only Car Show "Vettes at the Beach" at Ocean Beach Park (See event detail on Page 6) • Audrain Newport Concours & Motor Week. September 30-October 3, 2021
October 2021	• Audrain Newport Concours & Motor Week. September 30-October 3, 2021 • The monthly meeting will be held on October 5th beginning at 6:30PM at the Flanders Fish House in Flanders.
November 2021	• The monthly meeting will be held on November 2nd beginning at 6:30PM at the Flanders Fish House in Flanders.
December 2021	• Holiday Toy Drive • The Holiday party / monthly meeting will be held on December 7th beginning at 6:30PM at the Flanders Fish House in Flanders.
January 2022 to April 2022	

2021 Block Island Trip

Club Dinner
@ Ballards
MENU
NAUTICA

Monday Night Cruise Nights

Starting June 14, 2021

Every Monday evening, Classic Hits 98.7 WNLC sponsors Ocean Beach Park's "Cruise Night" show Enjoy a parade of antique cars and other interesting vehicles and the sounds of a Live DJ spinning classic music. Parking and admission is free. There are ride wrist band specials, as well as waterslide and mini golf specials as well.

98 Neptune Ave. New London, CT.

Vettes at the Beach

Hosted by

For Corvettes Only, Inc.

15th Annual Corvette Show

Sunday, September 19, 2021

Rain date: Sunday, September 26, 2021

10 am – 3 pm

Gate opens at 9 am

Ocean Beach Park

98 Neptune Ave, New London, CT

Minutes off I-95 (See Directions on back)

Entrance Fee $20 per Car

Dash Plaque, Tee Shirt, and Tote to the first 225 cars

Proceeds benefit local and national charities

Beach and Boardwalk on Long Island Sound

Gift Baskets, 50/50, Vendors

DJ, Food and Bar, Beer Tent

Miniature Golf, Game Room

Amusement Rides for the Kids

Celebrity Judges, Trophies

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For more information: Bob Sicuranza, President, 410-336-1296
Mark Christiansen, FCO Vice President, 860-705-3473
Jerry Ramsey, Show Co-Chair, 860-460-6903
FCO Email: Info@ForCorvettesOnly.com
FCO Web Site: www.ForCorvettesOnly.com

9/19/2021.

For Corvettes Only Car Show "Vettes at the Beach" at Ocean Beach Park

98 Neptune Ave. New London, Ct.

- **The show will start at 10:00AM (Gates open at 9:00AM) and runs through 3:00PM.**
- **Entrance fee is $20.00 per car. Dash Plaques, Tee Shirt, and Tote bags presented to the first 225 cars. Proceeds to benefit selected Local and National Charities.**
- **Stroll through the cars and then the Beach and Boardwalk on Long Island Sound.**
- **There will be Gift Baskets, 50/50, Vendors, a DJ, Food and Bar and a Beer Tent**
- **Amusement rides for the kids. Miniature Golf Course and a Game Room will be available to attendees.**
- **Celebrity Judges will look at all the beautiful Vettes and and a Trophy Presentation will take place at the end of the show.**
- **Rest Room facilities will be available.**

Unfortunately, No Pets, Please.

Food Donations for Local Food Banks will be welcomed. Drop off locations will be marked at the event.

Contact: Bob Sicuranza, FCO President, 410-336-1296; Mark Christiansen, FCO Vice President, 860-705-3473; Jerry Ramsey, Show Co-Chair, 860-460-6903
for further details. Thanks

Rain Date 9/26/2021

Corvettes at Carlisle

CARLISLE PA FAIRGROUNDS • Corvettes at Carlisle is the largest and most fun-filled Corvette event in the world. The annual Corvettes at Carlisle event features thousands of Corvettes representing all generations of America's classic sports car.

August 26 - 28, 2021	***Admission***	***Location***
Gate-n-Go Deadline - July 26, 2021	Daily Thurs- Sat: *$20	1000 Bryn Mawr Rd
Event Hours	Event Pass: *$35	Carlisle, PA, 17013
Thurs- Sat: 7AM- 6PM	Kids 12 & Under FREE	
	*Online tickets discounted.	

Corvettes at Carlisle is the largest and most fun-filled Corvette car show in the world. The annual Corvettes at Carlisle event features thousands of Corvettes representing all generations of America's classic sports car. Guests flock to Carlisle for this event - an event that was "name dropped" on the Jimmy Kimmel Live TV show in December of 2018. Corvette enthusiasm is contagious with participation in autocross, exhaust contests, seminars and more. The excitement continues with an incredible parts shopping experience, including an automotive flea market with a wide variety of vendors, an all-Corvette car corral and Manufacturers Midway. Bring your Corvette or walk around and look at the amazing variety on display on the Fun Field. Corvettes at Carlisle spotlights all aspects of the Corvette hobby, including different styles, packages and every generation of production, from year one in 1953 to the modern day C8.

Vettes on the Beach

Hosted by
For Corvettes Only, Inc.
15th Annual Corvette Show

Ocean Beach Park, New London, CT

Dear Business Owner,

For Corvettes Only, Inc., is seeking sponsors for our 15th Annual Corvette Show on Sunday September 19, 2021, 10am - 3pm, at Ocean Beach Park, New London, CT.

Our show brings together Corvette clubs and enthusiasts from all over Connecticut and surrounding states for a day of fun and relaxation. We donate show profits to local and national charities, such as:

- American Red Cross
- Andrea Rizzo Foundation
- Connecticut Children's Medical Center
- Connecticut Humane Society
- Dana Farber Cancer Institute
- Disabled American Veterans
- Gemma Moran Food Bank
- Safe Futures Domestic Abuse Treatment Center
- St. Jude Children's Hospital
- Shoreline Soup Kitchen
- Terri Brodeur Breast Cancer Foundation
- Toys for Tots
- Warm the Children
- Westbrook Elks, Lodge 1784

Please consider contributing to this worthwhile effort by sponsoring *Vettes on the Beach*. We offer several levels of sponsorship:

		Sponsorship Level		
		Gold: $400	**Silver: $200**	**Bronze: $100**
Benefits	Your company name and logo featured on the front of our show's tee shirt, which is distributed to participants and volunteers at the event	X		
	Your company name and logo featured on the back of our show's tee shirt, which is distributed to participants and volunteers at the event	X	X	X
	Your company name and logo listed in our show's promotional material; your company name prominently displayed on *For Corvettes Only, Inc.*: www.forcorvettesonly.com	X	X	
	Your company name and logo featured on literature and posters displayed at the event.	X	X	

Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts.

Sincerely,

Bob Sicuranza
President, *For Corvettes Only, Inc.*

Vettes on the Beach

SPONSORSHIP FORM

Company Information		
Company Name		
Address		
Street		
City	State	Zip
Sponsorship Level (please check one)		
❑ **Gold ($400)**	❑ **Silver ($200)**	❑ **Bronze ($100)**
Contact Information		
Name	Title	
Phone	Email	
Signature	Date	

Make checks payable to: ***For Corvettes Only, Inc.*****;** write *Vettes on the Beach Sponsorship* on the memo line.

Mail completed form and payment to: ***For Corvettes Only, PO Box 53, Mystic, CT 06355.***

Email your company logo to Mark Christiansen (markcjan@yahoo.com) by July 1st.

Please Note: Your completed Sponsorship Form, payment, and a jpeg or PDF version of the company's logo must be received by *For Corvettes Only, Inc.*, no later than July 1st to ensure that your company logo is included on tee shirts and printed show materials, as appropriate for your sponsorship level.

For more information, please contact:

Bob Sicuranza, President	410-336-1296
Mark Christiansen, Vice President	860-705-3473
Jerry Ramsey, Past President	860-460-6903

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PO Box 53, Mystic, CT 06355

Membership Application

Instructions: Print form, complete, and mail to the address above.

Membership is limited to Corvette owners and their spouses/significant others/family members.
Annual dues are $50 (prorated) per household.

	Member 1	Member 2
Name		
Address	Street	Street
	City	City
	State Zip	State Zip
Email		
Phone		
Alternate Phone		
Birthday	(Month/Day)	(Month/Day)
Anniversary (if applicable)	(Month/Day)	(Month/Day)
Corvette Information	Year/ Model	Year/Model
Color(s)		
Special Features (convertible, Calloway, etc.)		
Corvette Interests	Check all that apply: ☐ Show ☐ Rally ☐ Restoration ☐ Racing ☐ Cruise ☐ Other:_____	Check all that apply: ☐ Show ☐ Rally ☐ Restoration ☐ Racing ☐ Cruise ☐ Other:_____
	Signature Date	Signature Date

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