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McCandless Veteran's Home Show



The day after our Color Run, on Sunday, Oct. 3rd, we joined up with the Mustang and Mopar clubs at the north side IHOP. A bunch of us Veters showed up early for a great pre-run breakfast filled with laughter and offers to set up our cute waitress with all manner of club member's relatives. We traveled to the Pueblo West Wal-Mart where we picked up more cars,, then another stop at Penrose to pick up a bunch more and on to the Little Caesar's Pizza in Canon City where they had donated 15 pizzas for our lunch to be served to the McCandless residents and car folks. The remainder of the pizzas were picked up by the Rocky Mountain Muscle Car Classic's remaining funds. From there on to McCandless where we were parked among lots of shade trees in random order so we had cool cars from each club mixed among each other. We had so much fun meeting owners of cars we'd not seen before and getting to know other club members that I completely forgot to take any pictures there. Sorry, but not really.

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**Southern
Colorado
Corvette Club**

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9 Ibis Lane
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We meet every 4th
Tuesday at the
Pueblo Public
Library,
100 E Abriendo
Ave. @
7:00 P.M.

Come join us.

McCandless Veteran's Home Show, cont.

Trivia #1

Which auto
is believed
to be the
inspiration for
the first
Corvette?

Not only was this a whole lot of fun, but it was great to see the residents walk and be wheeled by the cars. There were so many really inspiring stories from those fine folks that I don't have space to relate them, but we came away being honored by what those men and women have done to allow us the freedom to do something like this. True, we gave something to them, but it's also true that we brought more back from them than we left with that morning. There aren't nearly enough times when we can have so much darned fun and still get such a warm feeling down really deep about what we're doing. Many, many thanks to the Mustangers and Mopar folks for asking us to be a part of this show. We added a bunch of cars and smiley faces, but also a bunch of really good hearts and discovered why they value doing this every year. If you weren't able to join us this year, please make a spot in your heart for next year!

By Bob Adams.

Clothing Donation to Wounded Warriors

Trivia #2

"Turbojet"
was first used
on Corvette
engine air
cleaners with
a horsepower
rating greater
than ?

On Oct 7th, Bill Kenney and I filled our cars with donated clothes and a bunch of children's furniture and toys and headed to Fort Carson to deliver them to the Wounded Warriors of Ft. Carson. Ms Yvette Allen, the civilian relations coordinator, met us and pointed us to a cleared area for the donations. It was about ¼ the size we needed! They were utterly delighted to see how much we had brought and got all kinds of help in setting up temporary hangers for the suits, shirts, ties, dresses and casual clothes we had. The civilian transition counselors couldn't help but stick their heads in and remarked on how much help that was going to be in helping the veterans present themselves well to potential employers. Yvette said the children's furniture and things would be gone within 3 days to very grateful homes which were in real need.

What we have done is a very good thing. There wasn't a Corvette to be seen, but SC³ has found another way to give back some of what we have and to make the world a little better place for some of our finest soldiers who needed a little help. I wish there was a way I could tell you about the feeling in Bill's and my hearts as we headed back home, but for some things there really aren't words. Sincere thanks to everyone who donated. By Bob Adams.

~ Proposed Reduction of Dues on the table at next meeting! ~

At our next meeting on the 26th, there are two proposed changes to the Bylaws which would meaningfully reduce our dues. They have been sent out to all members so we hope that discussion will center on specific effects of each proposal, such as whether we want to continue to require new members to be NCCC members or not. This is also our Annual Meeting and will see the proposed slate of new officers for next year finalized. I encourage each of you to voice your opinions and be a part of this meaningful meeting. Oh, and yes, we most certainly will find time to laugh and enjoy being together – as always. As if we ever could not have fun whenever we get together! I look forward to seeing your smiling face.

By Bob Adams



Trivia #3

The first five Corvettes to come off the assembly line did not have an?

Trivia #4

The awesome 454ci engine was only offered for ? years.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

MEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Ann Rapp - 5 Nov
Rick Brake - 10 Nov
Laurie Sanchez - 18 Nov
Dennis Skender - 29 Nov

MEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Tony and Laurie Sanchez - 8 Nov
Ron and AJ Newman - 16 Nov

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES (November)

Todd Frederick - 1994
Brian Dougherty - 2001
Mac and Babs McKnight - 2003
Dan and Darla Duboy - 2006
Sally Skender - 2006
Art and Marti Lucero - 2008
Gary and Madelyn Guzelian - 2009
Clifton Dykes - 2009
Dave and Linda Hill - 2009



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COLOR RUN 2010



Bill Kenney treated the club with a wonderful cruise thru our local foothills on Sunday, Oct 2nd. We gathered at the dog track and headed to Max's in Colorado City for an excellent breakfast and wonderful time of sitting down and having a great time eating together. We then headed up through Rye and past San Isabel Lake winding through beautiful aspen and scrub oak showing their regal colors. As we parked at Bishop's Castle lots of folks appreciated the colors of our Vettes in turn. Some of us were content to keep our feet on good old terra firma, while others did their best imitation of chipmunks, scrambling all over the castle. After gathering again, we continued our trip through the beauty of fall in our foothills on the way up to Westcliffe. After a pit stop, we caravanned to a wood carver, furniture builder, artist, and great hotdog griller for some lunch and continued great times of just sitting with each other and enjoying the company. It's so good to see how comfortable anyone in the club is with anyone else – we truly enjoy each other! From there we split up and found our own ways back home. The weather couldn't have been better as lots of tops came off along the way and the breeze through our hair and smells of the woods gave us a renewed appreciation of the beautiful world we're lucky enough to enjoy. And those roads were laid down a hundred years ago or so as dirt tracks with the clear intent that they were made for the Corvettes we brought. Thanks to all who joined us and to Bill for putting this together for us. I'm already looking forward to next year!

By Bob Adams

SC3 Calendar November 2010

	1	2	3	4 – CSCC Club Meeting	5	6 – Veterans Day Parade
7 – CSCC S'No Flake Rally	8	9	10	11	12 – SC3 Sonic Night NCCC Gov Meeting	13 – NCCC Gov Meeting Denver car show
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 – DCA Turkey Rally	22	23 – SC3 Club Meeting	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

December 2010

			1	2	3	4–SC3 Xmas Party, CSCC Parade of Lights
5	6	7	8	9	10 – SC3 Sonic Night	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 – SC3 Club Meeting	29	30		