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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hi all

July was a busy month with the Picnic which was great and the various PVGP events. I hope the fall events are well attended as well. We have a wine trip and a homecoming parade in the works for September. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone and hope all can come out and attend.

As usual Thanks Rob





SEPTEMBER MEETING

**September Meeting Location  
Field House  
911 N Pike Road, Cabot PA 16023**





2024 Calendar of Events

SEPTEMBER

- 5<sup>TH</sup>. BOARD MEETING
- 18<sup>TH</sup>. GENERAL MEETING TBD
- 28<sup>TH</sup>. GATEHOUSE WINERY PYMATUNING CRUISE

OCTOBER

- 5<sup>TH</sup>. BOARD MEETING TBD
- 12<sup>TH</sup>. TIONESTA OVERNIGHT TRIP
- 16<sup>TH</sup>. GENERAL MEETING TBD

NOVEMBER

- 7<sup>TH</sup>. BOARD MEETING
- 11<sup>th</sup>. VETERANS DAY PARADE
- 20<sup>TH</sup>. GENERAL MEETING



BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

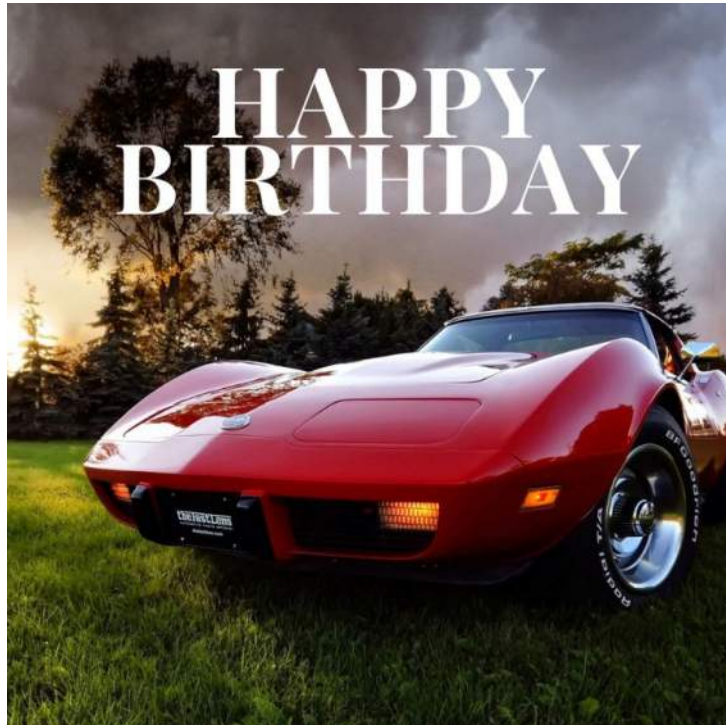
August Birthdays

Beth Craig

Lisa Hill

Joette Miller

Al Syrek



August Anniversaries

Tom & Susan Franczyk

Thomas & Deborah Mitchell

Scott & Sharri Roudenbush

Stephen & Mary Taylor

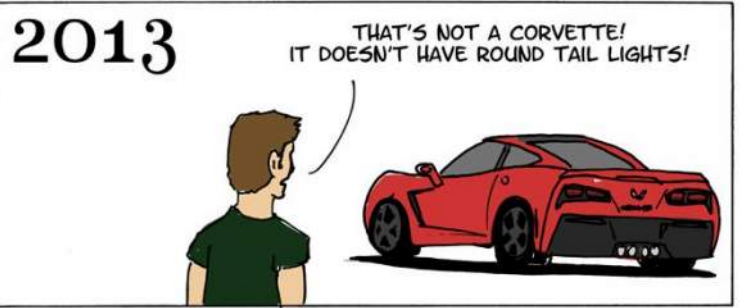




Just for a smile



"Yes, I could fly around as a bat on Halloween, but what fun would that be?"



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### Rothspeed's Carbon Fiber C2 'Splitray'



After more than five years of development, this custom 1966 Corvette that was split in half and increased in width some six inches made an impressive debut within the Concours Village of the Pebble Beach Automotive Week in Monterey, California on August 15.

And the best part? If your pockets are deep enough, you can order your own customized version today at a price that starts at \$600,000 and heads north. Each customer will have to supply the engine and transmission to a Rothspeed dealer, who will then finish the build and deliver a turn-key car.

Overseas customers will also be able to build a right-hand-drive version of the car as the dash was designed to allow the instruments and steering wheel on either side.

Production of the hand-built Splitrays will begin in Vermont in December, according to company owner Scott Roth. "After that, it will take two to four months to build a car once the deposit is placed, depending on spec," he tells MotorTrend. "We're hoping to produce between five and ten cars a year initially but eventually ramp up to around 25 per year."

The new all-carbon-fiber Rothspeed Splitray weighs less than 2,800 pounds and comes after further development of the original version that debuted in 2017.



"It cost us \$2 million to build the original Splitray, but people kept trying to buy it!" Scott explains. "So, we decided to manufacture the car to allow people to own their own. It took five years to get everything right—interrupted by COVID—but we've manufactured everything from the carbon-fiber body to the chassis, machined suspension arms, billet IRS (which took three years alone), and more. We also teamed up with Emtron in Australia on its VC10M vehicle management system. Not only does it control the engine and transmission, but it can provide ABS, traction control, and even interior controls such as air conditioning, etc."





### Project Vettes of Carlisle



Typically, when attending a car show you expect to see shiny, pristine examples on display. At [Corvettes at Carlisle](#) there are thousands of those to go around. However, we also love the multitude of project cars that can be found there as well. They're the perfect contradiction to all the shiny chrome and gleaming paint elsewhere on the fairgrounds.

Project cars are a blank canvas. Do you take them back to factory stock with a Bloomington or NCRS restoration? Or do you build a killer restomod? Is there even enough there to save or do we just part it out? How about a Corvette rat rod? The options are only limited by your imagination, well, and budget of course.

What's even better is that Corvettes at Carlisle is so big that not only can you take home that next project, it's also quite likely that most of the parts, components, or contacts you'll need are already on sight as well. It's practically a one stop shop for your upcoming endeavor.

So, as you're perusing our gallery below, let us know what you'd do with some of these candidates in the Comments section. We'd love to hear our readers' thoughts!





Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix





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2024—GATHERING OF CORVETTES IN LANCASTER OHIO

# Corvette Gathering XIX



19<sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio  
Corvette Club Alliance  
Corvette Gathering  
Lancaster, OH  
2024

**On the road to Ohio's Largest All Corvette Show - September 8, 2024**

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Lodging at Holiday Inn Express 740-654-4445 x0 "Ohio Alliance Corvette Club Block." Code: OAQ

Other Hotels available in the area: Baymont 740-994-4874 Hampton Inn 740-654-2999

***Special Saturday Events if you are in early; Contact us for details***

*Saturday events: Lunch, Road Tour & Evening Wine & Cheese Party @ Holiday Inn Express*

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CORVETTE INFORMATION		
Year	Model <small>(Coupe Or Convertible)</small>	Other Information

MEMBERSHIP TERM		
January 1—December 31, 2024		
Annual Dues	Single Member	Dual Members
New Membership	\$30.00	\$35.00
Renewal *	\$20.00	\$25.00
<b>Dues Are Non-Refundable</b> Checks will not be cashed until Board approves and accepts membership. <small>*Renewal must be paid by Jan31, 2023</small>		

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