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2011 CCM Calendar
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January	February	March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 15: CCM Banquet ○ 26: Annual business conducted at the monthly meeting ○ ○ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 27: Road Rallye
April	May	June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 9: MI Region Banquet ○ 15: New Member Orientation ○ 16: Drivers' School Driving Session (non points) ○ 17: DCSCC Champ AX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 29: DCSCC Champ AX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 11: Encounter & CCM Concourse ○ 12: NCCC AX 7 LS ○ 18-24: National Convention-Illinois ○
July	August	September
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 4: Waterford LS Time Trial ○ 24: NCCC AX 7 LS ○ ○ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6: Bracket Drags ○ 14: Picnic/NCCC PC Show ○ 20: Woodward Dream Cruise ○ 20: Back to the Bricks-Flint ○ 21: DCSCC Champ AX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 18: DCSCC Champ AX ○ 24: Motor City Corvette Concourse / NCCC PC Show
October	November	December
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 8: NCCC Road Rallye ○ 9: DCSCC Champ AX ○ BoD nominations at BoD and monthly meeting ○ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6: NCCC Road Rallye ○ Next year Region sanctions selection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BoD ratification at BoD meeting

BoD meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of each month.
 Monthly General Membership meeting is the 4th Wednesday of January thru November.

2011 CCM Competition Calendar

DATE	DAY	CCM COMPETITION EVENT	CHAIRPERSON(S)
March 27	Sunday	Road Rallye	Gordon McCann
April 15	Friday	New Member Orientation	Jim Rees
April 16	Saturday	Driver's School Driving Session/Test & Tune (non-points)	Comp. Committee
April 17	Sunday	Autocross – DCSCC Champ	Brett & Kris Watson
May 29	Sunday	Autocross – DCSCC Champ	TBD
June 11	Saturday	Corvette Encounter/CCM Inside Concours/NCCC PC show**	Jim Rees/Brett Watson/Joe Scafero
June 12	Sunday	Autocross NCCC 7 LS – Corvettes only	TBD
June 18-24	Sat. – Fri.	NCCC National Convention	Joliet, Illinois
July 4	Monday	Waterford Hills Time Trials	Bruce & Mary Wentzel
July 24	Sunday	Autocross NCCC 7 LS – Corvettes only	Mary Wentzel/Dyan Janowitz/ Pat Jutras/Diane Watson
August 6	Saturday	Bracket Drags	Fred King/Joe Uksa
August 14	Sunday	CCM Picnic/NCCC PC show**	Pat Jutras/Joe Scafero
August 21	Sunday	Autocross – DCSCC Champ	TBD
September 18	Sunday	Autocross – DCSCC Champ	Ted Hou / Al Chan
September 24	Saturday	Motor City Corvette Concours II/ NCCC PC show**	MCCC Committee/ Jim Rees (PC only)
October 8	Saturday	Road Rallye – NCCC Sanctioned	Bruce & Mary Wentzel
October 9	Sunday	Autocross – DCSCC Champ	TBD
November 6	Sunday	Road Rallye – NCCC Sanctioned	Ted Hou/Jan Van Maanen

13 CCM Inside Points Championship Events

** NCCC PC = NCCC sanctioned People's Choice car show, no inside points awarded

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**Michigan Region
of
Corvette Clubs Awards
Banquet
April 9, 2011**



Cost: \$25.00 per person

Place: One Under Bar and Banquet Center

Located at 35780 Five Mile, Livonia, MI 48154

Time: Social 6:30-7:30 Dinner: 7:30

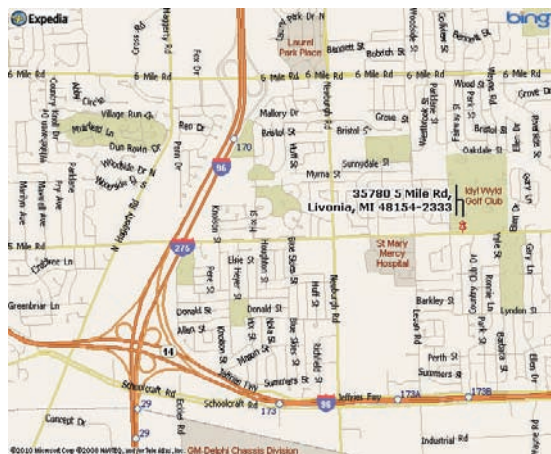
Cash bar

Awards and Door Prizes immediately following dinner.

Dancing and Entertainment until 1:30am in lower level.

No reserved seating—seating will be on a first come basis.

All Region clubs are asked to donate a door prize in the amount of \$30.



Directions to Banquet:

From North-Northwest—go east on I-96 to south I-275 to Six Mile exit (exit 170) , exit (east) onto Six Mile to Newburg Rd, go south on Newburg Rd to Five Mile Rd., turn east onto Five Mile and continue on approximately 3/4 mile. The One Under will be on your left (north side of Five Mile Rd).

From West—go east on M-14, continue onto east I-96, merge to right, exit Newburg rd (exit 173), go past Newburg rd to turn around loop, and go north on Newburg to Five Mile Rd, turn east onto Five Mile Rd approx 3/4 mile. The One Under will be on your left (north side of Five Mile Rd).

From West-Southwest—go east on I-94 to north I-275, exit east I-96 (exit 29), merge to right, exit Newburg rd (exit 173), go past Newburg rd to turn around loop, and go north on Newburg to Five Mile Rd, turn east onto Five Mile Rd approx 3/4 mile. The One Under will be on your left (north side of Five Mile Rd).

- Accommodations at I-96 exit 170: Courtyard (4 stars) , 17200 N Laurel Park Dr, (734)-462-2000
 Marriot (4 1/2 stars) , 17100 N Laurel Park Dr, (734)-462-3100
 Best Western (5 stars) , 16999 S Laurel Park Dr, (734)-464-0050
- Accommodations at I-275 exit 28: Red Roof Inn (4 stars), 39700 Ann Arbor Rd , (734)-459-3300
 Quality Inn (4 stars) , 40455 Ann Arbor Rd, (734)-455-8100
 (an NCCC approved Choice hotel)

Enter the banquet parking and facility at the top of the hill

Appetizers during social hour

Buffet dinner menu :

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| Roasted N.Y. Strip | Oriental blend vegetable | Mostaccioli marinara |
| Chicken Picatta | Oven roasted red skins | Garden Greek salad |
| | Homemade breads and rolls | |

-----detach and mail-----

Name (s) _____ Club _____

Amount enclosed _____

Make check payable to Michigan Region of Corvette Clubs
 Mail to: Joe Scafero, 27530 Buckingham, Livonia, MI 48154

Deadline March 31 please
More info call Joe @ 313-515-0734

NCCC OFFICIAL FLYER OUTLINE

SANCTION # NS-006-001
DATE: March 27, 2011
(IF DRAG RACES INCLUDE RAIN DATE)

TYPE OF EVENT: Non Sanction RALLYE
TSD Rallye
(IF RALLYE INCLUDE RALLYE TYPE)

REGISTRATION: OPENS: 11:00 am

CLUB: Corvette Club of Michigan

CLOSES: 11:45 am

REGION: Michigan Region

DRIVERS MEETING TIME: 11:45 am

ENTRY FEE: \$8.00

FIRST CAR OUT TIME: 12:01 pm

LOCATION: Chase Bank 235 N. Sheldon
Plymouth, MI



EVENT CHAIRPERSON:

NAME: **Gordon McCann**
ADDRESS: **13581 Westbrook**
Plymouth, MI 48170
PHONE #: **(734) 455-3060**



GOVERNOR:

NAME: **Joe Scafero**
ADDRESS: **530 Buckingham**
Livonia, MI 48154
PHONE #: **(734) 513-6003**

DCSCC AWARDS BANQUET

2010 SEASON

WHO: Registered Drivers, DCSCC Club Members and Their Friends
DCSCC clubs: AROC, CCM, DRSCCA, FMC, MMMC, MSCC

WHAT: Dinner, Socializing, Kart Racing, and the ...

2010 Autocross Championship Awards

MENU: Roast Sirloin with Mushroom Gravy, Pasta Primavera, Red Skin Potatoes, California Mix Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Fresh Bread, and Soft Drinks

WHEN: Saturday March 5, 2010 at 5:00 PM, come earlier for Kart Driving Sessions at 4 PM.

WHERE: Kart 2 Kart
42705 Van Dyke Avenue
Sterling Heights, MI
(586) 997-8800

HOW MUCH: Members of DCSCC Clubs and 1 guest are free, \$10 per person for all others.

RSVP by 2/26/11 TO: Derek Watkins
4530 Woodland
Royal Oak, Michigan 48073
248.549.7254
dwatkinslaw@yahoo.com

NAME(s): _____

PHONE/E-MAIL: _____

Members of DCSCC Clubs (+ 1 guest) may return this form or RSVP by e-mail to: dwatkinslaw@yahoo.com. Others return this form with a check made out to DCSCC for \$10.00 per person.

Winter Autocross

The heart thumping autocross experience of 2010 may have been replaced by a blanket of snow, but the summer's driving adventure continues with many enthusiasts. For those not able to attend CCM's best event; whether your calendar was full, or you or your car needed a competitive edge; consider the importance of a winter autocross.

These winter events are held at numerous times throughout the frigid North, that will conform to anyone's over scheduled calendar. Your personal best is preferred to an aggressive attitude; and the snowy condition creates a parity with any car or Corvette.

For those of you that did not enter the summer arena, now is the time to take note of CCM's well managed events for 2010. Those events were designed to give drivers in STD to FTD class the ability to sharpen their knowledge and awareness in vehicle dynamics.

For some autocrossers, it's about being first. For others it's about improving and being better. In the final analysis it's you against the course. The ability to instinctively react and to stay focused in any environment. The skills that you learn in the Summer and apply in the winter, helps to make you a complete driver, no matter what car you are controlling.

Whether it is a high speed event in the summer with fat sticky tires, or a low speed event in the winter on skinny tires: both setups are going to behave and react in similar ways. The defining difference will be the attitude and confidence of the driver.

So the next time it snows and you launch from the starting line; remember that your previous practices will help make the moments seemingly longer - as you approach those unusual pylons of ice chunks and snow mounds on your daily travels - because "it's your personal best that counts."

Enjoy your Corvette's potential, while preparing for that Winter Autocross.

Article contributed by Glenn Grace.

Despite never having adopted the metric system for day-to-day use, Americans are familiar with the basic units, like grams (especially kilograms), meters and such. But when it comes to the lesser known units, they're clueless, so to help the educational process along a bit feel free to commit the following to memory:

- 1 millionth of a mouthwash = 1 microscope
- Ratio of an igloo's circumference to its diameter = Eskimo Pi
- 2,000 pounds of Chinese soup = Won ton
- Time between slipping on a peel and smacking the pavement = 1 bananosecond
- Weight an evangelist carries with God = 1 billigram
- Time it takes to sail 220 yards at 1 nautical mile per hour = Knotfurlong
- 16.5 feet in the Twilight Zone = 1 Rod Serling
- Half of a large intestine = 1 semicolon
- 1,000,000 aches = 1 megahurtz
- Basic unit of laryngitis = 1 hoarsepower
- Shortest distance between two jokes = 1 straight line
- 453.6 graham crackers = 1 pound cake
- 1 million-million microphones = 1 megaphone
- 2 million bicycles = 2 megacycles
- 365.25 days = 1 unicycle
- 2000 mockingbirds = 2 kilomockingbirds
- 52 cards = 1 decacards
- 1 kilogram of falling figs = 1 FigNewton
- 1,000 milliliters of wet socks = 1 literhosen
- 1 millionth of a fish = 1 microfiche
- 1 trillion pins = 1 terrapin
- 10 rations = 1 decoration
- 100 rations = 1 C-ration
- 2 monograms = 1 diagram
- 4 nickels = 1 paradigms
- 2.4 statute miles of intravenous surgical tubing at Yale University Hospital = 1 IV League



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