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THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER by Sherry Arigo

Finally, a spring show without rain, for the past four years we have had a rainy spring show, but not this year. Not only was the weather great, the turnout was even better. We had around 140 cars show up and show off their pride and joy.

Our new sponsor, Ourisman Chevrolet of Bowie, went over and beyond our expectations. The golf shirts they had for all of the workers that helped move cars on Saturday night were white with our club circular logo and Ourisman on the right side of the shirt. Great trophies, dash plaques, tee shirts, mailings and publicity, Chevrolet Racing Jacket and Sport Clips Basket that were raffled off, numerous goodies for the goody bags, door prizes, an ice cream man and DJ were supplied for us. They really came through for us and we really appreciate everything they did for us. Our thanks and appreciation goes out to Irene McGlone and her staff.

Of course there are always some problems before a show that most of you don't even realize go on. This one made my heart skip quite a few beats three days before the show. The BBQ guy I had contracted with to set up at the show told me he had sold the business and the new owner couldn't make our date. Of course this happened during my favorite show "Survivor." Now I was really upset. So my search was on for a new food vendor. I really thought my chance of getting someone at the last minute was slim to none. As I started my search, the first thing John said was, "please don't get a chuck wagon that goes to construction sites because that would be some pretty nasty food." But, there under chuck wagons, was Chuck's Wagon BBQ. No, he does not serve on construction sites; the name just popped up. His real job is a police officer and he is a member of the Masonic Order. Immediately I was impressed. He got back to me Friday morning and yes, I was up waiting for the call (9am, which you know is early for me). He informed me that he could get all of the supplies he needed for the show except for the pit beef because he didn't have enough time to marinate it. So now my heart was pumping at full force just waiting for another bomb to drop. But it didn't; we got through the day with great food and lots of fun.

I want to extend my thanks and appreciation to Barry Hagedorn and John Arigo for chairing the show. They really had their work set out for them for the past few months just trying to figure out the layout of the parking lot. But they came through and it worked. So thanks guys you did a great job. Also, thanks to Robyn Hagedorn, you know the wife always helps behind the scenes. Thanks to Debbie Cimba and the ladies in

registration, Carroll Hynson for publicity, Frank Cimba and the classification team, the parking attendants, Anita Snyder for decorating the door prizes, Kathy Barney for raffles, Jamie and Leif Anderson with the waiver sheets, Steve and Judy Kennedy for tallying all of the votes and of course all Corvette Annapolis members for all of your help and support.

As you know we didn't have a silent auction at our Ourisman Show; however, since we've been getting some very nice gift certificates that are too generous to give out as door prizes, we will have a silent auction at the July 11th Greene Turtle Show. So please try to get what you can for that. Sonny Brown and Tom Watts will be chairing that show, so any goodies you can get for the goody bags or door prizes, please let us know.

I spoke with Nancy Spicer and on Sunday May 24th we will be caravanning to Easton for a short memorial service at Brent's gravesite. I am aware that this is Memorial Day Weekend, but the OC traffic will not be a problem on Sunday. We will be leaving WB at 1pm. After the gravesite service, we will go to the Suicide Bridge Restaurant. I know not everyone knew Brent, but please come out to support Nancy and your club. Former member Rodger Weese who is now a minister will preside over the service for us. Please contact Linda Petersen to sign up to go as we need a head count for the restaurant.

We have two events coming up in May that should be lots of fun. On May 16th we are leaving WB at 4pm to caravan to Captain Billy's for dinner. Then on May 30th we are going to the Timonium Dinner Theater to see "Footloose." Please contact Linda Petersen if you are interested.

Our next meeting is Tuesday May 12th at the library. Please join us at Philly Flash at 901 West Street for dinner around 5:30 pm before the meeting.

Don't forget to check out our website regularly so you will be kept up-to-date on what we're doing next. Our club doesn't sit still very long.

Get Ready, Get Set, Go Vette,
Sherry

"You can get there from Here"

[Corvette Annapolis](#) is going "Downeast"

[Corvette Annapolis](#) is scheduled to participate in the 6th Annual "Back to the Beach" Corvette Weekend, June 11th through the 14th at Old Orchard Beach, Maine ("Downeast"). The trip has been expanded and will now begin on the June 6th and travel first to Niagara Falls for three days; Newport, Rhode Island for one day; Hyannis, Massachusetts with a one day trip to the island of Nantucket; Plymouth, Massachusetts and on to Maine. There [Corvette Annapolis](#) will join up with other participating Corvette clubs for a long weekend that includes Grand Prix Racing, dancing with "Richie O & Co." a Mystery Cruise, parade, buffets and meeting new friends. We will be staying at one of three motels that are a short 10 minute walk to the downtown Old Orchard Beach and the Pier. For those who wish to brave it, swimming in the ocean is an option.

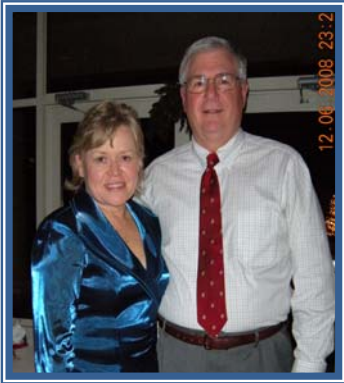


Activities Director

[Corvette Annapolis](#) is looking for a new Activities Director. Linda Peterson will be stepping down after having served in this role for a few years. Linda's hard work and efforts over the past few years are greatly appreciated. Those interested in serving for the remainder of the year, please contact Sherry Arigo.

Corvette Annapolis MEET THE MEMBERS

By Elaine Phillips



The Klein's have been Corvette Annapolis members since late 2005 but late last year I learned they had never been interviewed before now. They are front and center more often than not; so should be familiar to most of us. We were never able to arrange a home interview, but considering their daily schedules, I can appreciate their busy lives. Pete commutes to Arlington where he serves as a Sr. Operations Director for General Dynamics Information Technology by day, and a dynamic duo of husband and father at night. Nancy drives to D.C. and is a registered nurse at the Children's National Medical Center in Washington. Here's a little more about the Klein's than you knew before.

They hail from different origins. Pete was born in Newport RI. However, his family was originally from Middleport, OH. He attended Wakefield HS in Arlington VA, and graduated the US Naval Academy in 1976. Nancy grew up in Ewing NJ and lived at the same address until she went off to college in Newport, RI and graduated Salve Regina University in 1977. They have made their home in the Crofton community of Anne Arundel County. This year Pete and Nancy became empty nesters when their daughter, Jessica, entered her freshman year at York College in PA. Their son, Peter, has been a full time MBA graduate student at Frostburg State U and will graduate this year. I ran into Pete and Nancy late last summer right after they had shipped Jessica off to college. I witnessed an adoring couple, holding hands, looking forward to this new interlude—albeit, briefly. When Peter graduates he will move back home for a few months until he receives his official work assignment. Besides their devotion to raising two children, their earlier hobbies included coaching girl's fast-pitch softball and field hockey. Now Pete enjoys automobile detailing while Nancy loves gardening, reading, and watching baseball games.

His first car was a '74 Dodge Demon; a 4 speed with Hurst shifter. Nancy bought a '72 Opal Manta 1900 from Pete's parents when she graduated college. They own a Chevy Tahoe and a Dodge Dakota, but their signature ride for the club is a 6 speed, 2002 Torch Red Z51 Coupe. You may have seen both Pete and Nancy drive their 'vette at autocross events where they are fast becoming high scorers. They are enjoying everything our Club has to offer and have taken the initiative to coordinate several of our activities. Last year, Nancy organized a fall road trip to Cumberland MD where we caravanned up to the Town Hill Bed and Breakfast, dined on scrumptious food, and took a scenic train ride up to Frostburg. We had no less than 12 couples who signed up for the event who rated it a barrel of fun. Everything from the train ride, Saturday night charades, and beautiful fall foliage on the ride home was marvelous. The event will be repeated this coming October.

In 2005, Pete and Nancy joined Corvette Annapolis and quickly became active members. As of last year, Pete became our Club spokesperson for autocross and other competition events. When Pete stands to address the audience, he is a detail-oriented person; a friendly face, a willing hand; always a man with a plan. Their backgrounds have served them well and they take initiative quickly. In the words of a former member: "This active and attractive couple is another example of interesting people who make our club a fun group".

Corvette Annapolis & Ourisman Chevrolet
CORVETTES and CLASSICS CAR SHOW
Held Sunday, April 19, 2009



Left: A bevy of some of the approximately 140 beautiful Corvettes and Classics under the Ourisman US Flag. The flag is 15 ft. by 30 ft. and can be seen for miles down Route 50.

Right: Dean Moore holding the newly developed **Corvette Annapolis** scientific device to accurately and precisely park each and every care within millimeters of one another. Product rights reserved by John Arigo. 🐾



Left: Jim DeSarno and Pete Klein enjoying the show and casting their ballots for the best cars in each of the categories.



Upper left: The two show chair persons, Barry Hagedorn and John Arigo, give directions to the Geico Gecko under the watchful eye of the president Sherry Arigo.



Upper right: Barry Hagedorn again giving directions to one of the Classics participants with Sherry Arigo looking on.

Left center: Two of the ladies of the registration desk, Chair Debbie Cimba (second left) and Robin Hagedorn (second right) registering, Sherry and Michael Calvert. The ladies have this process well organized.

Below left: The many trophies awarded



Below right: Barry Hagedorn with the Gecko



MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 5 Terri Campbell
- 6 Rob Striegel
- 14 Susan Davis
- 18 Mike Calvert
- 22 Dave Dickens
- 24 Joyce Kohan
- 26 Tom Watts
- 27 Lief Anderson
- 29 Bud Brengle
- 31 Pete Klein



MAY ANNIVERSARIES

- 6 Pete and Nancy Klein,
Barry and Joyce Kohan
- 20 Bill and Elaine Phillips,
Brent and Nancy Spicer
- 23 Bud and Linda Brengle
- 31 Terry and Beverly Ricer



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