

Brazos River Corvette Club Newsletter

# **EXCELLENT TURNOUT / BRCC 18TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW**





Brazos River Corvette Club PO Box 2251 Granbury, TX 76048 www.brazosrivercc.com

November 2024

### 2024 BRCC Officers

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer

Cruise Coordinator BRCC Charity

Car Show Directors

Charity Raffle Historian / Newsletter Member Care Merchandise National Corvette Museum Ambassador NCCC Governor Email Group Manager Web Master Becky Skaggs WJ Gourley Jill Brown Robert Wiliams

Becky Skaggs Vickie Lawrence & Cindy LaRusso Theresa Halford, Lead Bob Halford, Support Bob Williams Jim Hill Jan Walker Nin Hulett

Robert Williams (acting) Judy Fikes Bill Mozingo

Michael Hokanson



Gloria Hokanson	Nov 1
Steve Hamilton	Nov 5
Judy Fikes	Nov 5
Susie Williams	Nov 3
Bill Compton	Nov 7
Rusty Strickler	Nov 8
Rick Price	Nov 11
Kim Sheppard	Nov 12
Peggi Bratta	Nov 14
Terry Varner	Nov 20
Angelica Villarreal	Nov 26

Anniversaries

Jackie & Nita Vaughn	Nov 15
Beth and Doug Batista	Nov 19
Earl & Carol Harris	Nov 25
Terry & Sandy Varner	Nov 27

### Happy Anniversary!!

#### Membership Meetings

General membership meetings are held the 1st Thursday of each month, exceptions are posted on the web site and members notified via group email.

Meetings are held at Spring Creek BBQ, Granbury TX, begin at 6:00 PM for socializing and ordering dinner, club business starts at 7:00 PM and usually over before 9:00 PM.



### WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT



What a successful car show we had on October 12th. I cannot thank everyone enough for your efforts that day and the contributions you made to prepare for the car show. As you know we set a record of 110 applicants. Hooray! We had great weather, and I believe the changes we made to the car show this year worked out well for us. If you have any feedback, please do not hesitate to provide as we can always improve. I want to provide a special thank you to Tom McElroy for the large donations that he worked to get for our Mission Granbury charity. We also owe a special thank you to Theresa Halford (Car Show Director) with Bob Halford in support of the car show. They do an impressive job!

We also had a coffee and donuts social at Jerry Durant Chevrolet in Granbury to thank them for their large donation. We had a great turnout, and you can see the report and pictures in this newsletter.

We are getting into holiday season, so the number of events is going to be limited. We have a weekday cruise to Streetside Classics on November 13, a lady's luncheon in Granbury on November 19, and the Christmas Party on December 7th.

Most important to get your membership dues for 2025 and Christmas party cost in no later than November 15th by mailing or bringing it to our Nobember 7th meeting.

We have our next monthly meeting on Thursday, November 7th, at the Spring Creek BBQ restaurant on 377. The meeting starts at 7pm, however get there early for dinner and to socialize. Let us get those beautiful corvettes to our meeting.

Thanks again for the successful car show. We have a great club, which I am proud to be part of.

All the best.

Becky Skapps



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BRCC Meeting Agenda for October 3, 2024 7pm at Spring Creek BBQ



Meeting Began at: 7:00

**Evening Prayer:** Led Steve Crawford **Pledge of Allegiance:** Sonny Morgan

In attendance: 46 total

- Members 44
- Guests 2

#### Member update:

Total members to date: 100 as of this time in 2024. We made our target membership maintenance goal of 100.

Member Voting:

- Mike and Malerie Miller
  - owns a 2001 C5 Z06 silver Corvette with 55,000 miles. He attended the August meeting, joined the cruise to Gatesville, and attended the social at Massey's BBQ restaurant.

Motion to accept the Miller's as members - Ed Amos Seconded: Bob Halford Motion Passed

#### \*\* Membership dues need to be turned in by 11/18 for 2025:

- Due no later than 11/18 as NCCC requires us to submit shortly after that and have all member information updated in their database. If you miss the deadline, then it will cost you \$10.00 more as they treat the submittal as a new member.
- Cash or check
  - Pay tonight or on November 7<sup>th</sup> meeting
  - Or mail to:
    - Brazos River Corvette Club
    - P.O. Box 2251
    - Granbury, Texas 76048
- New members: \$95 couple, \$85 single
- Renewing members: \$85 couple, \$75 single



**Minutes:** Becky Skaggs/Jim Morris on behalf of Jill Brown Accept September 5, 2024 minutes Jill sent the minutes on email. updates? Made a correction for Arlene's name

Motion to accept minutes as corrected: WJ Gourley Seconded: Ed Amos Motion Passed

#### Treasures Report: Robert Williams

Treasurer's Report for 1 September 2024 through 30 September 2024 Cash Balance at Beginning of month: \$2,921.71 Income: \$2,676.00 Expenses paid: \$197.39 Cash Balance at End of Period 30 September: \$5,400.32

Motion to accept treasurer's report as read: Teresa Halford Seconded: John Kleber Motion Passed.

Car show update: Theresa Halford with Bob Halford

- BRCC Car show date is October 12, 2024
  - Currently 63 cars registered.
- Charity committee leads: Vicki Lawrence and Cindy LaRusso
- Car Show items: Theresa Halford
  - 1. Wine labels thanks to Beth Batista, Arlene and Larry DeYoung, John and Annette Kleber, Bill and Ann Monzingo, Robert and Sammie Gay Williams, and Bob and Kathleen Kurz. This group had everything done in 45 minutes.
  - Arrival time to set up for show. Arrive between 6:30 and 7:00 am to help unload trucks and set up tables for registration, 50/50 raffle, parking signs, banners.
  - 3. Visit Granbury has provided bags and a check for \$750.00 will be sent to our P O Box within the next 2 weeks
  - 4. Becky Skaggs Member car parking.
    - 1. Will start parking member cars at 6:30
  - 5. Tom McElroy donations.
    - 1. Shottenkirk donated \$2,000.00
    - 2. Durant Chevrolet will donate \$2,000.00
    - 3. Street Side Classic donated \$750
    - 4. Corvette Warehouse donated \$500.00
  - 6. Terry Varner Parking.



- 7. Jim Morris Car Show Judges
- 8. Gloria Hokanson 50/50
- 9. KK and Donnie Lawson -will be providing lunch
- 10. Kroger has volunteered to donate ice and water. If someone wanted to bring soda's the cooler will be provided.
- 11. Jackie Meet for dinner after the car show Vito's Italian Kitchen, 1468 E Hwy 377
  - 1. Reservation at 4:30

#### **Committee Reports:**

#### Member Care: Jan Walker

- No cards this month
- Webmaster: Bill Mozingo
  - No updates

#### Email Distribution list update: Judy Fikes

- Created a Facebook page: Brazos River Corvette Club
  - Beth Batista and Judy Fikes will be administrators

#### Club Merchandise: Nin Hulett

• Becky will get with Nin for badges

#### National Corvette Museum: Michael Hokanson

• No updates

#### NCCC: Robert Williams

• Will be installing new officers at the National level

#### Events Coordinator: Becky Skaggs

September Events

- September 7<sup>th</sup>, Saturday Annual Member Picnic
  - Bob and Theresa Halford hosted
    - 48 attended
  - Motion to have the picnic at the Halford's next year
    - Membership voted unanimously to have it again at the Halford's
- September 20<sup>th</sup> Social event at Massey's BBQ
  - 19 corvettes attended
  - Nin Hulett provided live entertainment

October Events

- October 12 BRCC 18<sup>th</sup> Car Show
  - All hands-on deck. A team effort
  - Some will need to arrive by 6:30am depending on what you are doing to assist.

- October 26 for Coffee and Donuts at Jerry Durant (Granbury) Chevrolet / Buick / GM on 377
  - Time: 9am 11am. Arrive 8:45am-9:15am or if a little late that is okay.
  - We will have coffee and donuts
  - We had 31 corvettes in April, let's meet or exceed that to show our appreciation for their donation as one of our top two sponsors.

Christmas Party event

- December 6<sup>th</sup>, Friday Christmas Party
- Location Harbor Lakes Country Club
  - Prices have risen looking at \$35.00 for Prime Rib and \$20.00 for chicken (per person)
- Motion to accept price change: Bob Williams
  - Seconded: WJ Gourley
  - Motion passed unanimously
- Start time: 6:00pm drinks and socialize, 7:00pm Dinner, 8:00pm Gift Exchange with finish around 10:00pm
- Need other cruises (Saturday or weekday lunch) on the calendar. Any volunteers for a month? Details can be worked out later.
- Near leads for:
  - November lunch and Saturday cruises
  - Tom McElroy suggestion cruise to Street Side Classics in Fort Worth.

#### **New Business**

2026 officers and Director of the Car Show nominations

- President (Becky would like to step away from the role as president but keep the role as events coordinator).
  - At the time, no nominations were made
- Vice-President
  - Motion made to nominate WJ Gourley for a second term.
    - WJ accepted nomination
- Secretary
  - Motion made to nominate Jill Brown for a second term
    - Jill Brown accepted nomination
- Treasurer
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  - Motion made to nominate Robert Williams for a second term
  - Robert Williams accepted nomination
- Director of the Car Show



• At the time, no nominations were made

Teresa Made motion to close nominations for this meeting. Nominations will be open through November. Voting will be done at the November meeting. If you are interested, please email Becky.

No other new business

Entertainment: Ed Amos shares a joke

50/50 Raffle – Robert Williams Update on collection amount: \$75.00 Winner is: WJ Gourley

Motion to adjourn: Motion:Ed Amos Seconded: Curtis Motion Passed unanimously

Meeting adjourned at: 7:40

Jill Brown





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# BRCC 2024 Calendar

Always looking for volunteers to host a cruise. It can be a nice drive in the country then stop for lunch or a lunch with another interesting place to visit while on the way. Don't be shy, let Becky know you're interested in setting something up. She can help with suggestions.

### **PAST & UPCOMING EVENTS**



Feb 7	Rattlesnake Roadhouse Lunch - Walnut Springs Bob & Jill Brown	
Feb 24	Granny Clark's - Dublin	Montgomery's and Sikes
March 2	0 Wednesday Lunch Cruise Meri & Suzi Johnson	dian Tx Steve Hamilton
April 6	Granbury Chevrolet 9 - 11:00 coff	ee & donuts
May 27	Field of Flags	
June 15	Waterview Senior Living car disp Cranfills Gap /Horny Toad Mi Rio Vista/Los Primos Mexican Re	chael & Gloria Hokanson
July 4 July 20 July 25	4th of July Granbury Parade Possum Kingdon Cruise Womans Lunchen at Christina's	Charle Curtis Becky Skaggs
Aug 7 Aug 24	•	
Sep 7	Potluck Picnic	Halfords
Oct 12 Oct 19 Oct 26	18 <sup>™</sup> BRCC Car Show Cowtown Annual Car Show Jerry Durant Club Display	Halfords 432-413-3099
Nov 13 Noc 19 Nov 25		Becky Skaggs
Dec 6	Christmas Party Gift Exchange	



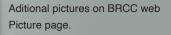
# Big Turnout for our 18th Annual BRCC Car Show

We had 109 entries plus about 30 BRCC members cars turn out of our 18th Annual Car Show. All monies are donated to Mission Granbury. Amount raised has not been tallied at time of this newsletter.

Thanks to all the members that dedicated their time and effort making this a fantastic show.











### October 26th Jerry's Chevrolet Coffee & Donuts Social

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#### **Reporter: Becky Skaggs**

We had a gathering of thirty corvettes at the Jerry Durant Chevrolet in Granbury for coffee and donuts. Our visit was to thank them for their large donation to our Mission Granbury charity. We were parked right along Highway 377 in front of the Buick/GM sales center, which was a perfect location to be. We had four guest corvettes that attended and thanks to all of you they felt very welcome and enjoyed talking about corvettes with you. As in April, we had a wide variety of corvettes that attended this event.

Thanks, Tom McElroy, for leading and setting this up. See the pictures included from this social event.

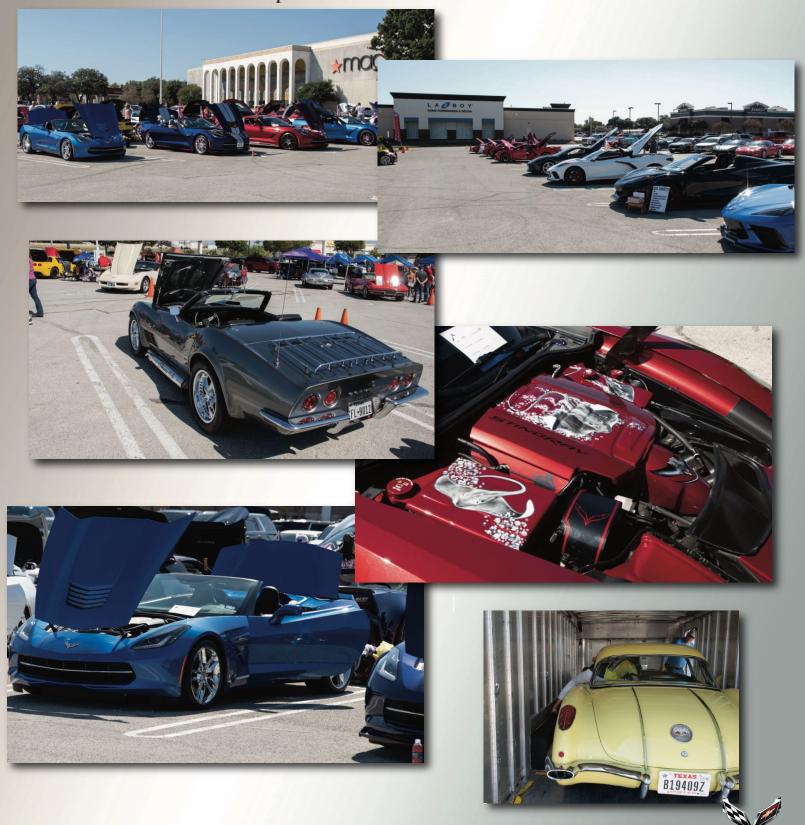






## A Couple of BRCC Members Attended Cowtown's Car Show

Some pictures from the event below.



## **BRCC Logo Merchandise**



Nin Hulett Merchandise 817-578-1783 czhjz9nin@yahoo.com Nin Hulett has lots of great merchandise for sale with the BRCC logo on them. Here is a sampling of most of our items. We are open to additional items upon request.

#### All prices are subject to change.

Nike Polo Shirts 363-807 .....\$ 60.00 Color options subject to availability.

Sport Wick Stretch 1/2 Zip Pullover .......\$35.00 Mens & Ladies styles XS-4XL Color options subject to availability.

Sweatshirt 1/4 Zip 9-Oz Pullover......\$35.00 Mens & Ladies styles XS-4XL & Tall Color options subject to availability.

Long Sleeve Dress Cotton/Poly S608 ..... \$25.00 Mens Button Down Ladies Open Collar Color options subject to availability.

Long Sleeve Denim Mens & Ladies .......\$35.00 Mens Button Down Ladies Open Collar XS-6XL and Long Color options subject to availability.

ADD \$6.00 FOR EMBROIDERED NAMES
Name Tags ......\$12.95
Caps .....\$16.00 - \$20.00
Color options subject to availability.
Tote Bags .....\$20.00
Key Chains .....\$10.00















# Next Club Meeting November 7th Spring Creek BBQ





