

THE RED LINE NEWSLETTER



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"CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR ALL UPCOMING EVENTS"

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ADIRONDACK - LAKE GEORGE:

Our plans are leaving on Thursday:
Check In: Thursday, Sept. 8, 2011
Check Out: Sunday, Sept. 11, 2011
Staying at the Comfort Suites
1533 State Route 9
Lake George, NY 12845
Phone: 518-761-0001

THE BIG KAHUNA NIGHT

September 13, 2011
at the Sylvan Street Grille Peabody, MA*
(Rain Date 9-20-2011)

THE 8th ANNUAL VETTES to VETS

Gold Star Mother Day! September 25 - Sunday 9:00AM
Go to their website for more info:
<http://www.vettestovets.org/>

North Shore Corvettes of MA

Download New Membership Application:

<http://www.northshorecorvettes.com/2011%20Membership%2011-01-10.pdf>

Newsletter: Submit before the
25th of the month
Please send all info to: doncowan57@comcast.net

PRESIDENT NOTES: *By Greg Egavian - Vice President*

As many of you know, Rich, our president has undergone surgery on his wrist. The surgery seems to have gone well and now some time needs to pass so Rich can get back the strength he needs to start banging gears once again.

On behalf of myself, the E-Board and the NSCM club membership—Let's wish Rich a speedy recovery so he can once again do what he loves to do, which is drive his Vette.
All the best Rich and don't worry, each time we make the tires chirp, it will knock off a day on your therapy.

Save the Wave!!

Greg Egavian - Vice President NSCM

BY-LAW CHANGES

If you want any By-Law changes they must be submitted at the September's Regular Meeting and then they will be voted on at the October Regular Meeting. We only do this once a year.

WEDNESDAY, NEW ENGLAND DRAGWAY

Pat Ferullo's time sheets from New England Dragway.
Pat's planning on doing it again. Anyone that is interested on seeing him race his Corvette, please plan on attending.
I will send out an email blast to let you know when he plans to do it again.

Admission is \$10.00 per person and \$20.00 if you plan to race your vehicle.

Pat said it's quite a rush.....



NSCM MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING NOTES:

August 18, 2011

Meeting Started @ 7:06 PM

Meeting adjourned @ 8:46 PM.

E-Board members present:

Rich Gureghian	President
Greg Egavian	Vice-President
Tony Liburdi	Treasurer
Dan Crovo	Secretary
Pat Ferullo	Cruise Night Director
Joe Generazzo	Membership Director
Don Cowan	Newsletter Editor



Agenda Items:

President Rich Gureghian opened the meeting at 7:06.

1. Treasury - Treasurer Tony Liburdi made the report which was accepted as read.
2. Membership - Joe Generazzo reports no new members since the last report. Currently at 206 members.
3. Cruise Night - Pat Ferullo is disappointed. This Tuesday was the 9th rainout of the season and 4th consecutive. Don't give up.
4. Vice President - Greg Egavian will contribute as the meeting progresses.
5. Business:
 - O'Leary ZR-1 8-hour Rental Raffle** – Did you buy your tickets? All proceeds go to the hospitalized veterans at the Edith Nourse Rogers Memorial Veterans Hospital in Bedford, MA. See Pat Ferullo for tickets.
 - Fuzzy Dice Run** - (July 17) — Tony Liburdi reports \$56.00 profit! Rich noted that for a first time event of this type, it is unusual to come out with a profit. Rich congratulated Greg and Pat for conducting the event with so many excellent volunteers. Rich received many compliments on the event.
 - Wounded Warriors** - (August 06) At Saugus/Everett Elks. NSCM was the best represented organization at the event. Thanks to all who participated.
 - Barre Falls Dam** - August 07 reservation. – Canceled due to heavy rain.
 - Annual Fireworks Run to Hampton Beach** - August 17 – Hope you enjoyed it! Rep O'Neil who runs the lot was very helpful in setting this up. We had 30 spaces reserved; this event is growing every year!
 - Lake George** - (Sept. 8-11) – No change. Rich will not be going due to his recent health issues.
 - Vettes to Vets** - (Sept. 25) Don't forget this event. The event of the year. The ZR1 raffle will be drawn at the hotel before we leave for the hospital. Tickets will be available at the hotel prior to the drawing.
 - USS Massachusetts Visit** - Saturday, September 17th – More info to come.
 - Bow-Tie Shop Open House** - October 8th (Saturday) 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM – need head count for Joe Scafidi. Let Rich know if you will be attending.

NSCM MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING NOTES CONT.

MacMulkin Warranty Deal - We now have a deal for discounted extended warranties. A workshop presentation for our members is planned. If you need info sooner, please contact Rich. If your GM car is still under warranty you can purchase an extension, \$0 deductible. If you're interested, contact Rich with your car's VIN; he will have MacMulkin verify if your car qualifies.

NOTES:

Rich noted that regular meetings start next month (September). Be aware that By-Laws can only be changed in October and he has some items to review.

Member George Cordima has a friend with two garages that can hold 6-8 cars in North. Reading for winter storage. He can put you in touch with him. Heated and power for a battery maintainer.

Member Walter Bolz asked whether there was any discussion at the last E-Board meeting regarding the best participation trophy at the Corvettes of RI show.

A discussion followed regarding the presentation of the trophy to Bob and Judy Dobson. Greg Egavian reported he had a phone conversation with Bob. Greg noted the conversation went well and Bob is fine with NSCM. Since NSCM normally makes a contribution to the National Cancer Society, Greg suggested NSCM make a donation to the National Cancer Society in Judy's name. Laraine Cowan noted that there was a fund raiser to benefit Judy Dobson and suggested making the contribution to the fund. Don Cowan will follow up with Bob regarding the particulars of the contribution.

Member Laraine Cowan asked about a resolution to the website/Webmaster issue.

Discussion followed that included reporting that during the June 2011 E-Board meeting a decision was made to hire Cowan & Associates to maintain the NSCM website @ \$100/month, August through December 2011, renewable annually.

At Don Cowan's request to bring the E-Board decision before the membership, Ken Goldberg made a motion to take a vote on the prior e-board decision to pay Cowan & Associates to provide Webmaster services. The motion was seconded and there were no objections and the motion passed.

A collection of \$1/member was taken to benefit the Elks Scholarship program.

Motion to adjourn and seconded; meeting adjourned at 8:46 PM.

NSCM TECH PAGE: *By Rich Gureghian*

No publication this month due to Rich's surgery on his wrist.

2011 SEPTEMBER EVENTS:

September 01 - Thursday **NSCM Board of Directors Meeting** - Place & Time TBA*

September 05 - Monday - **Labor Day**

September 06 - Tuesday 5:00PM till Dusk - **Cruise Night** at the Sylvan Street Grille, Peabody, MA*

September 08 - Thursday to September 11 - Sunday - **Adirondack - Lake George, NY** (FLYER). NSCM contact person Don Cowan

September 13 - Tuesday 5:00PM till Dusk - **The Big Kahuna Night** at the Sylvan Street Grille, Peabody, MA* (Rain Date 9-21-10)

September 15 - Thursday 7:30PM - **NSCM Membership Meeting at Wakefield Elks** - Serving Food at 7:00PM*

September 20 - Tuesday 5:00PM - (Rain Date) for The Big Kahuna Night at the Sylvan Street Grille, Peabody, MA*

September 25 - Sunday 9:00AM - **8th Annual Vettes to Vets** - Gold Star Mother Day! Go to their website for more info: <http://www.vettestovets.org/>

September 27 - Tuesday 6:30PM - **NSCM Dinner Meeting** -Sylvan Street Grille, Peabody, MA *

* unless notified on website

NSCM MEMBERSHIP REPORT: *By Joe Generazzo*

We currently have 206 Members



ON THE MEND:

Rich Gureghian is recovering from his wrist surgery.

Charlie Oliveri attended cruise night after his shoulder surgery.

Jim Burns is on the mend. Jim and his wife showed up to cruise night. All in attendance was glad to see him.

SAD NEWS:

Our Sympathy goes out to Ron Morneau & family for the loss of Ron's mother.