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Ponce Inlet Corvette Club

2025 CLUB OFFICIALS

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A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR:

At the request of a member, we've added a "Classified" section to the newsletter. This section will specifically feature Corvette related items you may be "in search of" (ISO) or selling. If you have something you are ISO or selling, please send details to me via email to be included in the next newsletter.

I'd like to extend my ongoing appreciation to our newsletter contributors. If you have content you would like to include in the monthly newsletter, please email photos along with a write up to: kwright1351@yahoo.com.

~KIM



**Ponce Inlet Corvette
Club website:**

www.picorvetteclub.com

HAPPENINGS

DRIVE OUT TO 3 BANANAS 2/18/2025



The club showed up in big numbers for a drive out to 3 Bananas in Crescent City. 39 members enjoyed a nice ride and a fantastic lunch by the water. A big thank you to Susie Amaro for her work planning and organizing all us crazy cats!

Photos from Susie Amaro

PARADISE POINTE ASSISTED LIVING CAR SHOW - 2/22/2025



HAPPENINGS (CONTINUED)

PARADISE POINTE ASSISTED LIVING CAR SHOW - 2/22/2025



The Ponce Inlet Corvette Club was invited to show our beautiful cars to the residents of Paradise Pointe Assisted Living Center. Nine cars were present and residents, as well as members, enjoyed spending time chatting and reminiscing about their most-loved automobiles.

Photos from Denice Stanforth

COMMUNICATIONS

From the President:

Well, we've all made it through Speedweek and Bike Week! And now we just have the influx of Spring Breakers and then we'll have Jeep Beach coming too! But, the best part of March is that we have so much more sunlight in the evenings now!!! I hope you are all having lots of opportunities to get those Corvettes out and on the road! We have thoroughly been enjoying breaking in the new Z06! Cannot wait to get it on the track this year. And we keep hearing more interesting news out of GM around the possible return of the C8 Grand Sport (who knows if it will actually happen) and the upcoming interior refresh for the MY26 C8s! Thanks everyone that made it out to our February meeting and for all your support and help as we continue into 2025. I'm excited for the ways we'll be able to partner with our community this month and look forward to sharing more at our next meeting. And don't forget, our One Daytona car show is just around the corner! Let us know any feedback you have - whether it's about the buffet, the location, our agenda, or anything that strikes your mind as relates to the Corvette world!

Jim Stembridge
President, Ponce Inlet Corvette Club

COMMUNICATIONS (CONTINUED)

Charity Committee:

The definition of Charity is an organization set up to provide help and raise money for those in need. That's what we at PICC pride ourselves in doing. This month, at our monthly meeting, our speakers will be Elizabeth and LG Glass, founders of God's Bathhouse. God's Bathhouse has serviced Volusia County for 9 years, providing hygiene care to those in need. Please welcome them as they share their story of why they started God's Bathhouse.

Linda Giambalvo, Vice President/Charity Committee Chairman

VETTES AT ONE DAYTONA CAR SHOW

Thank you for all the donations that I received at the February meeting. We have a great start with the basket making and are halfway there. If you are bringing donations to the upcoming March meeting, please give them to Denice, Membership Chairman, and I will get them from her, as I will not be able to attend the March meeting. For the ladies that are making a basket, please let me know when they are completed and I will be happy to pick them up. Thank you all for your help. It is very much appreciated.

Thank you,
Beverly Vedral, Hospitality Director

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Thursday, March 13th - PICC Men's Luncheon at Eagles Club 5130 Ridgewood Ave., Port Orange at 12:25 p.m. (please RSVP to Denice by 3/11/25)

Saturday & Sunday, March 15th & 16th - Corvette In Venice "A Vette Together" 2025, Venice Florida Corvettes, Centennial Park, Venice, FL 8:00-3:00pm - Registration postmark 3/9/25 (fills up quickly)
VeniceFloridaCorvettes.org

Wednesday, March 19th - PICC Drive out to Tiki Docks, 3633 S. Ridgewood Ave., Port Orange - Meet in the parking lot at 2:00 and proceed upstairs to the terrace. RSVP by text to Susie Amaro by 3/12

MARK YOUR CALENDAR (CONTINUED)

Thursday, March 20th – PICC General Membership Meeting at Hidden Lakes Golf Club at 5:00 pm.

Saturday, March 22nd – Antique to Modern Show, Antique Auto Club, Melbourne, FL – 10:00–2:00pm – Registration postmark 3/19/25 AntiqueAutoClubCC.com

Saturday, March 29th – Corvettes at Keiser Cruise-In, Stuart Corvette Club, Port St. Lucie, FL – 8:00–12:30 pm – Registration postmark 3/22/25 forms.keiseruniversity.edu/corvette-club

Sunday, March 30th – Citrus County Corvette & Camaro – Citrus Vettes and Camaro Car Club, Historic Courthouse Square, Inverness, FL – 9:00–4:00 pm – Registration postmark 3/15/25 cv.ccc.org. Hotel reservations @ Woodspring Suites (352) 419-0456 ask for Lori

Saturday, April 12th – Vettes Doing Charleston – Coastal Carolina Corvette Club, New Realm Brewery, Daniel Island, SC – 9:00 – 1:30 pm – Registration postmark 4/10/25 4CCCC.org

Monday, April 14th – PICC Ladies Luncheon at Outrigger's Tiki Bar in New Smyrna Beach at 11:30 am.

Thursday, April 17th – PICC General Membership Meeting at Hidden Lakes Golf Club at 5:00 pm.

Saturday, April 19th – Hot Cars Cool Cats Car Show, 2250 NE 70 ST (Hwy 326), Ocala FL – 10am–3 pm – \$10 show entry fee. For more info call Sue @ 352-266-2859. All proceeds benefit EARS.

Saturday, May 3rd – Vettes at One Daytona – Ponce Inlet Corvette Club sponsored event – volunteers will be needed – more information to follow

Saturday, May 10th – PICC Tortugas Game including the Turtle Nest Buffet – Buffet starts at 5:30 pm, Game starts at 6:35 pm – \$29 per person which includes ticket to the game and buffet – more details to follow from Susie Amaro

Friday & Saturday, June 6 & 7 – Corvettes At The Beach – Myrtle Beach Corvette Club, Myrtle Beach, SC 8:00 – 3:00 pm – Registration postmark 1/13/25 to 5/19/25 – www.myrtlebeachcorvetteclub.com

2025 PICC HOLIDAY PARTY

**SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 13, 2025**



IN SEARCH OF OR FOR SALE

**HAVE A CAR OR
PARTS/ACCESSORIES YOU'D
LIKE TO SELL OR ARE IN
SEARCH OF?**

Send details to Kim
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Corvette related items only

