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Newsletter of the Discovery Bay Corvette Club



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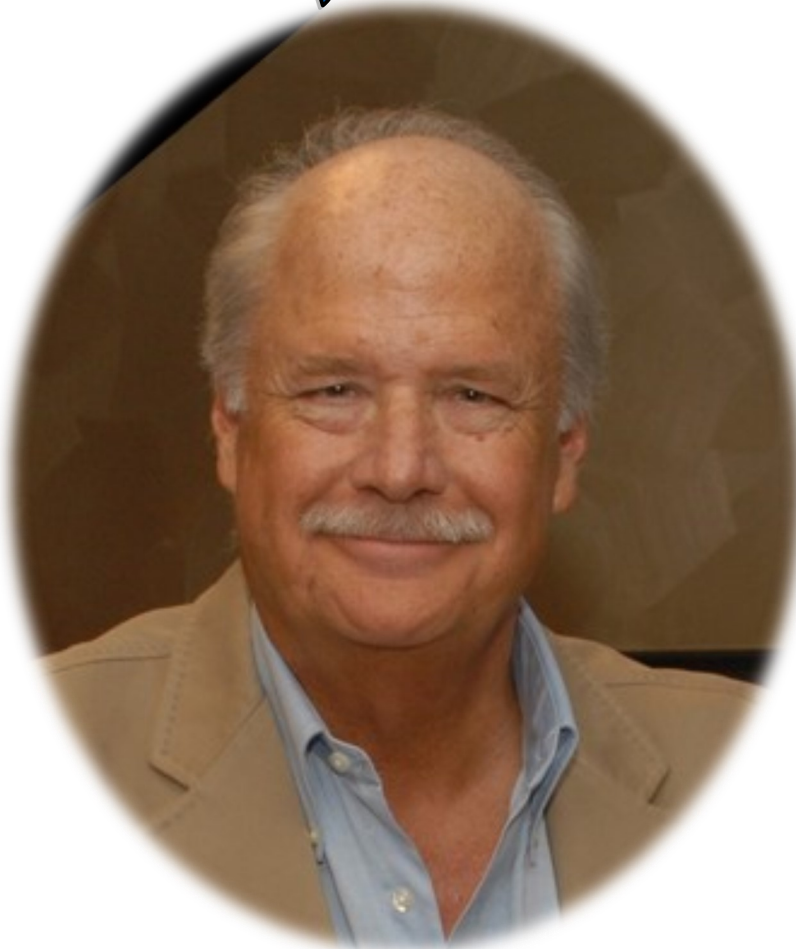
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Meeting Schedule: First Thursday of each month, except when otherwise noted.

Location: Discovery Bay Yacht Club

Board Meeting: 5:30 PM

General Meeting: After 6 PM Dinner

All members are urged to attend the meetings and guests are always welcome!

Mailing address: PO Box 1158, Discovery Bay, CA 94505-1158

www.discoverybaycorvettelub.com

Next Meeting: 11/5/20
Meeting after 6:00 PM Dinner

President- Ed O'Brien

Hi DBCC members!

Here we are, fall already! The days are still warm but temps are dropping as the days get shorter. The holiday season is just around the corner! I hope all of you are getting out on the road and enjoying your Corvette, top down! Now is also the time to ensure you've sent in your membership renewal (\$ 110.00) for this year to DBCC, P.O. Box 1158, Discovery Bay, CA 94505.



Good news!! We'll have another dinner meeting/event at DBYC on November 5th. It will be a Mexican Fiesta theme, and DBYC has graciously opened their upstairs dining area so we can meet with social distancing and out of any adverse weather that may exist that evening. As with our last meeting there you will need to pre-purchase dinner at \$20 per person. Contact me if you didn't get the word via our recent emails. Dinner for participants is reasonably priced and our financial support of DBYC is important. I hope you can make it, as it will be great to see everyone again! Cocktails/Dinner begins at 6 p.m. with General Meeting following. Notes will be taken for those who cannot attend.

On the event side, a huge THANK YOU to Shari and Dave Peck for organizing the trip to Renegade Winery! The ride was fun, especially with our new members Jerry and Judy with their new beautiful C8! The conversation was lively, weather great, plus we had a nice meal at Renegade's outdoor patio and some good wine too!

NEW EVENT!! Be sure to SAVE THE DATE of December 19th for a Mystery Run and December luncheon. Currently in the planning stages, cost for this event shouldn't exceed \$25 per person, and a fun time to be had by all! We anticipate supporting the Toys for Tots gift program that day just as we have in the past. Keep on the lookout for an upcoming flyer with details!!!

Give Abel Chevy a call (you'll need an appointment) to get things done to your Vette. I now need an oil change, and Rich Willhoff has assured me we get great discounts on both parts and labor!

----Be sure to keep your face masks and hand sanitizer ready for more FUN times ahead!!

Premium fuel works best!---Ed

Vice President- Dave Peck

At our past Board of Directors meeting we discussed several issues facing the club as a result of Covid-19 restrictions and protocols. One of the main issues we addressed was how to bring in new members. As you are aware, a potential new member must submit an application to the club and the WSCC along with dues and initiation fees. Once these are received the potential new member must then attend a general meeting and participate in a club sponsored activity. After approval of the Board, they are officially brought into the club. In light of the current restrictions, it would make it difficult for new members to meet the criteria of attending a meeting or a club activity. They might potentially wait months after paying their dues before they could get shirts, badges and access to the website. So, I made a motion to the Board, that for the duration of restrictions on meetings and other social gatherings, the requirement of attending a meeting and attending a club activity be waived for potential new members. This change is temporary, as soon as things become more normal, we will resume the regular requirements for membership. The motion was passed by the Board. This will allow us to continue to bring in new members and grow the club without having to keep new members in limbo an indefinite period.



DBCC Dinner Run & Meeting!



9/3/20



HO! HO! HO! **CORVETTES !!**
It's Prez Fast Eddy's 1st Annual

Holiday Mystery Run!!!



----When? **Saturday Dec. 19th 2020**

Meet at 9am leave at 9:15am

----Where? Lot between Chase Bank
Safeway Gas Station, **Discovery Bay**

----Cost? **\$24.00 per person**
(cheap!!)

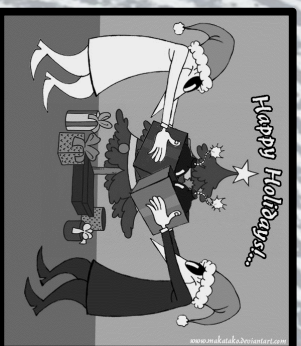
--Send checks by December 10th,
payable to DBCC. Send to:

DBCC Mystery
P.O. Box 1158
Discovery Bay CA 94505



Be sure to....
Get an unopened gift!
Fill the gas tank
Bring your Fastpass, and
Bring your Walkie-Talkie!
Bring your kid's gift!

***Please don't forget an un-
wrapped gift or gift
card for a child valued at
\$20. They will be
collected at the restaurant.
One gift per person please.***



Renegade Winery Run!

9/19/20

Hello DBCC.

It's been a while since we were all together so we tried to do a run that would allow us to get our cars on the road, while following Covid protocols.

So last month we ran up Highway 26 to Mokulumne Hill to the Renegade winery and restaurant.

Joining us were our newest members **Jerry Cellilo and Judy Young**. Jerry and Judy live in Brentwood and are the proud owners of a **2020 orange C8**. Needless to say the car was quite a hit. Jerry and Judy had a nice time meeting the members who were present, and then we all had a great lunch with some fun beverages.

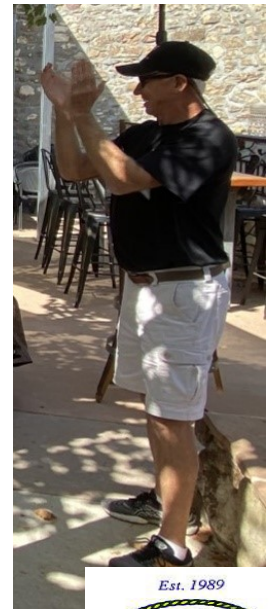
After lunch, President Ed O'Brien called an impromptu General Meeting at which time we formally introduced Jerry and Judy and welcomed them into the club.

If you weren't able to make the run, please be sure to introduce yourselves to Jerry and Judy when you see them.

The Board and Shari are making every effort to try and find places we can go as a group. Since the situation is fluid, and things seem to be improving, we are hopeful that we will all be able to get together (safely) sometime soon and do more fun things like this.

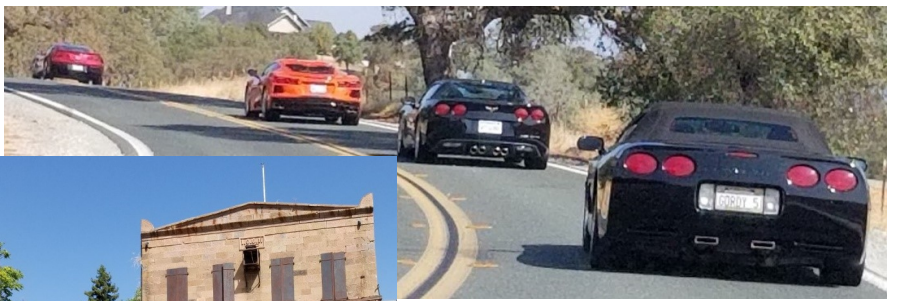
Hope to see you all down the road.

Dave Peck



Welcome Our New Members!
Jerry Cellilo and Judy Young!







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Paul "Buzz" Lowell Marston II

MARCH 11, 1954 – SEPTEMBER 22, 2020

Marston, Paul "Buzz" - 66, passed away peacefully in Queen Creek, Arizona on September 22, 2020 surrounded by his wife and dear cousin Terrie Thornburg, including his dear cousin Sunny Akhavi on speaker phone.

He is survived by his loving wife, Ruth Marston; sister Paula Zoccoli of Arizona, nephews Tony Zoccoli and Michael Zoccoli, of Arizona. Buzz was really close to his cousins Sunny Corum Akhavi of Los Angeles, CA, Terrie Corum Thornburg of Redlands, CA, Joyce Corum of La Mesa, CA, and his cousin Caren White Gately and her daughter Kaya Gately of Marin County.



Buzz was a career Deputy Sheriff at Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office (1975-1991). During his career he worked the following assignments: Patrol, Detention facility, Detective Bureau, Intelligence and Courts. He was the HIP Coordinator from 1988 to 1991. He continued his career in the Behavioral Health Services as the Behavioral Health Coordinator and Clinical Manager at Good Samaritan Hospital (1994-2004) and opened a private practice in Los Gatos, CA, Research West Behavioral Health Services, Executive Director (2004-2020). Buzz touched countless lives in serving this community.

In conjunction with his business in Behavioral Health, Buzz had a love for the motorsport arena, in particular, the Corvette, he started another business "Motorsport West." He served on the National Corvette Museum Board from 2004-2019, and was Board Chair from 2010-2011. Buzz served as Western States Corvette Council representative on the Museum Board retiring from the NCM Board at the end of 2019. He was President of the Western States Corvette Council (2014-2020), and member of Santa Clara Corvettes (1994-2020).

One of Buzz's pride and joy events he loved organizing was the annual Corvette Racing Corrals at IMSA races and Corvette Racing Banquets (included the attendance of the GM Corvette Chief Engineer, the GM Corvette Team, and the Corvette Race Drivers). The first successful inception of the Corvette Corral of 500 corvettes was held on July 2004 at the ALMS/Infineon Raceway, Sonoma, CA. This was the blueprint for future Corvette Corrals that began at ALMS/Infineon Raceway (2004-2005) and ended at Laguna Seca Raceway, Monterey, CA (2006-2019).

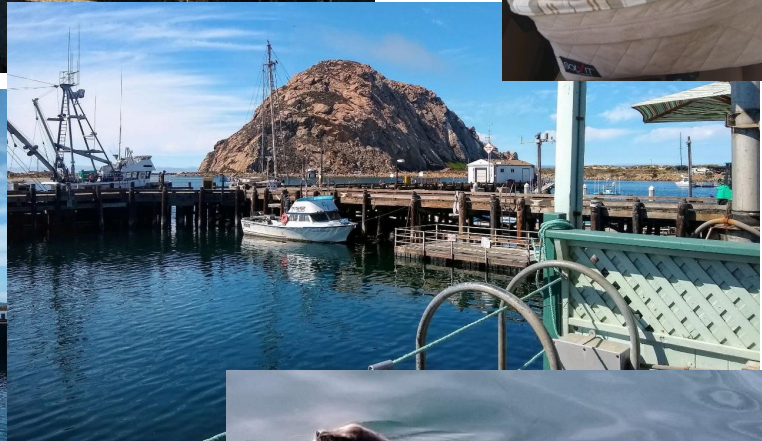
For those who knew Buzz, he touched their lives in many ways and leaves many wonderful friends and extended family members in California and Arizona. Buzz always closed with a phrase used by his grandpa "On with the Dance and let Joy Reign Supreme."

Buzz Marston Memorial Drive By 10/23/20



Discovery Bay Corvette Members Having Fun!

RV Trip to Paso Robles! Pecks, Zupans, Allens, Burdicks,
DeLeons and Enboms! 10/4/20 – 10/6/20



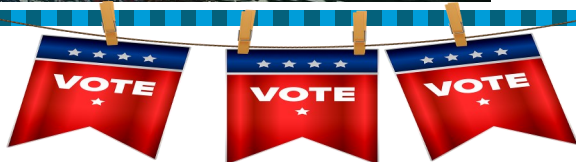
Pecks and Enboms at the Tobin James Winery!



Laura Hardt
celebrating her
mother's
81st birthday!
10/20/20



The Pecks, Cerneras and Brunettos participating in the Trump boat parade in Discovery Bay! 9/13/20



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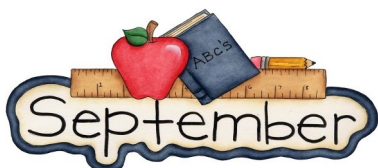
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Sunshine - Connie Miller



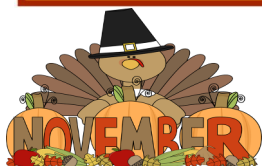
Don Ramos fell and cracked his pelvis. He spent some time in a wheelchair, but is now doing much better. He is happy to announce that he's up and walking. Keep it up Don!
Connie Miller



Jack Parker 9/2 John Allen 9/8 Carol A. Helfrick 9/12
Gorden Wilson 9/24 Bill Burdick 9/25 Karen Krowl Denham 9/25
Jerry Cellilo 9/28 Ryan Allen 9/29



Al Sauvadon 10/2 Neva Burdick 10/12 Joe Pimentel 10/19
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Pam Dooley 11/11 Ed O'Brien 11/14 Carolyn Ayers 11/16
Amy Pera 11/25 Mize Sandy 11/29 Tony (AJ) Silva 11/29

Publications- Laura Hardt



Hi everyone!

I'm not going to attend the November 5th gathering. I am trying to minimize my risk of exposure to the coronavirus especially because I am around my elderly parents who are aged 81 and soon to be 91.

I want to welcome our newest members Jerry and Judy! Thank you for joining Discovery Bay Corvettes and Congratulations on your new C8 Corvette! I hear it is beautiful! I would love it if you can write an article about your C8 and include pictures so I can include it in our upcoming Newsletter.

My deepest sympathy to the Buzz Marston family and others who have lost a loved one.

Missing you!
Laura Hardt
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