

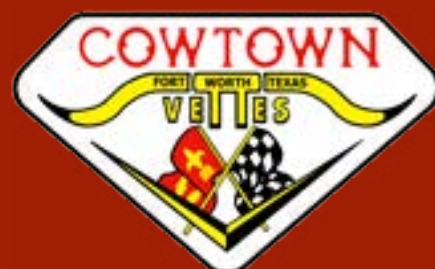


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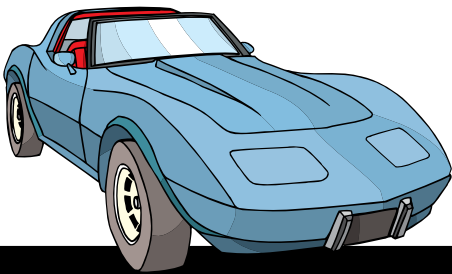
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Membership Meeting Location

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October 2015 SARCASTIC MONTH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 <i>* Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm</i>	3 NCM 21st Anniversary Celebration
4 NCM 21st Anniversary Celebration	5 NCM 21st Anniversary Celebration <i>Child Health Day</i>	6 <i>Mad Hatter Day</i>	7	8	9 	10 NCCC SJCC LS Autocross Houston BRCC Car Show on the Square in Granbury
11 NCCC SJCC LS Autocross in Houston	12 Columbus Day	13	14 <i>National Dessert Day</i>	15	16	17 <i>* CTV 14th Annual All Corvette Car Show</i>
18	19	20	21 Board Meeting ----- Lowdown Deadline	22 NATIONAL NUT DAY	23	24 NCCC OCCC / CCOC Events; LS Autocross in OK
25 NCCC OCCC / CCOC Events; LS Autocross in OK	26	27 	28	29	30	31 HALLOWEEN NCCC CTCC LS Autocross in Mart

November 2015 PEANUT BUTTER LOVERS MONTH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 NCCC CTCC LS Autocross in Mart	2	3 	4	5 TMS RACING EVENTS PRACTICE SESSIONS Thursday - Saturday	6 Cowtown 101 7:00pm <i>* Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm</i>	7 TMS RACING EVENTS PRACTICE SESSIONS Thursday - Saturday
8 TMS RACING EVENTS NSCS AAA TEXAS 500	9	10 TAFB Volunteer Night 6:00pm	11	12	13 NCCC Nat'l Committee & Governor Mtgs	14 NCCC Nat'l Committee & Governor Mtgs
15	16	17	18 Board Meeting ----- Lowdown Deadline	19	20 <i>* 19th Annual Super Speedway Weekend NCCC</i>	21 <i>* 19th Annual Super Speedway Weekend NCCC</i>
22 <i>* 19th Annual Super Speedway Weekend NCCC</i>	23 	24	25	26 	27	28
29	30					

Bold italic type denotes CTV events

** Denotes required attendance and participation for 100%er Award eligibility*
◆ Members attending these Events receive 100%er credit in lieu of Cowtown Events



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WORDS FROM OUR PRESIDENT



CTV Members and guests, As most members know we had to make a last minute change on our meeting date and had the membership meeting on Thursday September 3rd. Cowtown Bowling was given the opportunity to utilize the Cowtown Underground every Friday night which ended our use of the space for our meetings. I appreciate Cowtown Bowling allowing us the use of their space and wish them the best. Member Cheryl Hunt located a new Friday night meeting location at Buffalo West, 7101 Camp Bowie West, Fort Worth, TX 76116. We will be meeting here starting October 2nd and the first Friday of each month for the rest of 2015. It is my hope that CTV will be able to build a lasting relationship with Buffalo West, their staff, and their General Manager Chris Piekarski.

Our September NCCC autocross at TMS has been moved to November and it appears that starting in 2016 we will be racing at TMS in the spring. Many thanks to Doug for working out the details with TMS. Nominations for our 2016 Officers and Board members will be taken at the October membership meeting. CTV needs members to step forward and take positions of responsibility for the club. Even if you have served in the past, it may be time to step forward again. Please remember Cowtown offers a variety of activities for its members and the more you participate the more you will enjoy the club and other members. It is our members that make Cowtown a great club.

Donald Hickman

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VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Events for October -

*** Saturday, October 17 - 14th Annual CTV All-Corvette Car Show** - 4921 Overton Ridge Blvd. (in the parking lot in front of Bed, Bath, and Beyond). This is a well attended car show - our premier car show event each year. Everyone is invited to enter their cars. There is also a need for volunteers to help in a number of capacities. It's a chance to see some great cars and visit with some interesting people. This will be our 100%er for the month. Check the website and newsletter for additional details.-

Upcoming Events for November -

*** Friday - Sunday, November 20-22 - 19th Annual Super Speedway Weekend** - This is CTV's premier autocross event held at Texas Motor Speedway every year. We have participants who come from all over the country to attend, so we need everyone's help to make it a first class event. The event starts with tech and check-in at TMS on Friday night, as well as hospitality at the host hotel. The races take place Saturday and Sunday and there is Dinner on Saturday night at the Host hotel. We need lots of volunteers to pull all of this off, so the TMS event is our 100%er for the month. To get 100% credit, you need to either compete in the races and/or volunteer to help in one or more capacities. For more information, see the NCCC Chair column in the newsletter or check the website. Signup sheets for volunteers will be available at the membership meetings.

Other Upcoming Events:

Saturday, December 5 - CTV Annual Awards Dinner and Christmas Party will be held in the **Lone Star Room at the Stockyards Station**. We will be taking reservations starting at the October membership meeting. Reservations will be \$35. You have to pay to make a reservation. Make checks to Cowtown Vettes.

Check the website for more information. If you have any questions, email me at josmith619@att.net.

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MEMBERSHIP

New Members

Ted & Lana Gales
2006 Black Convertible



Zane Hilger
2010 ZR1 Yellow Coupe



2nd Time Visitors

None this month

1st Time Visitors

Charles Berger
2014 Z51 Cyber Gray Coupe



10/02 - Jane Buehler
10/02 - Laura Stevens-Randall
10/06 - Carlanne Hickman
10/10 - Don Littlefield
10/10 - Connie Wharton
10/18 - John Armes
10/19 - Karen Watson
10/20 - Cathy Anthony
10/26 - Charles Gerth
10/27 - Jim Hollinsworth
10/30 - Donald Hickman

10/01 - James & Kim West
10/07 - Donald & Cynthia Rankin
10/09 - George & Michelle Aggas
10/09 - Deborah & Pj Jackson
10/10 - Richard & Carolyn Atkins
10/26 - Zane & Karen Hilger



Becky Clark
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WEBMASTER



Are you on Facebook? Are you a Cowtown Vettes Facebook friend – if no, please invite the Club to be your friend. We post teaser photos from each event which then link to our website for additional photos and information about our club. If you post photos at an event, we would also ask you to tag Cowtown Vettes in the photos.

Thanks to Robert & Cydnie Geyer, Raley & Jo Anne Smith and Doc Lambert who provided photos beyond ours for the August events. We could still use photos from numerous events if anyone has some they would like to share. The photo needs are identified on the Photo Gallery

the distribution lists, getting yourself added to any specific one, etc. then please get in touch with me. If you change your email address, mailing address, your Vettes, etc., please let membership know so that your information can be updated. If by chance you are not receiving the CTV-All emails then your correct email address must not be in the system; contact us. Send all email and address updates to: ctv-membership@yahoo.com. When you are added to a list, you will receive an email asking you to confirm and join – you MUST accept this in order to be confirmed into the distribution list; the invite will eventually time-out as well so don't delay.

Please don't hesitate to shout if you have sugges-



page by the Event Photos Coming Soon icon. Please keep your cameras handy – we can always use more photos and everyone has a different type of photo they like to capture. The photos which are provided to me are resized with credit given to the photographer on each photo, prior to them being used on the website.

The webmaster maintains a couple-of-dozen email distribution lists for various functions beyond the all member list (CTV-ALL) and the officer list (CTV-EO). If you have questions around

tions, questions or comments about your Club's website and/or Facebook account. Likewise if you find any pages that have issues or if there is something you would like to see or things you dislike; after all this is your website and I am only the caretaker of YOUR website.

Doug McMahan
2015 CTV Webmaster
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There is just one more month to gather cruiser points for the 2015 Cowtown Cruiser Program. The point's sheet must be completed and submitted to me by November 7th. This can be filled out by hand

which requires you to calculate your points. You may also complete this sheet using an online version that will automatically calculate your points. You will need to make a copy of the completed sheet to submit or you may send it by email to me. If you would like to use this method I will need to send you the Excel program. Your calculations will be checked for accuracy.

Regardless of the method you choose, you will still need to submit your photos to support your points by November 15th. You may do this by printing copies of your photos and arranging them in an album or scrapbook by category as outlined on the point's sheet. You may also submit a CD or thumb-drive with your photos categorized on it. The book, CD, or thumb-drive will be returned to each participant. After reviewing the point's sheet and photos, the verified points will be used to determine the awards given in December. The top 3 competitors will be recognized as well as those accumulating enough points to achieve either a bronze, silver, or gold level.

While entering my points I realized that a clarification needs to be made regarding the state/national parks and the state/national forests categories. The point's sheet shows only 6 lines for each category yet indicates that 12 points can be earned in each one. A park or forest in the state of Texas earns only one point. This means your maximum points in each category could be only 6 if all of your entries are within Texas. An out of state park or forest earns TWO points. This will give you the 12 points in each category if all 6 of your entries are out of state. You can have a combination of instate and out of state entries which will vary the total points earned but you CANNOT HAVE MORE THAN 6 ENTRIES PER CATEGORY!!

During our trip to the Poconos we collected quite a few points. I was excited that we were about to have all of the letters for the "Cities" category which would get us bonus points. When I looked in the back of our road atlas for a city

beginning with "X" I was disappointed to discover that there are only 3 places in the entire US!! All



are the city of Xenia and can be found only in Illinois, Kansas, and Ohio. In planning your trips next year you might want to include a stop in one of these places if it is on or near your route. Those going to convention in Omaha next summer might be able to swing by Xenia, KS.

While on the subject of next year, I would like to let those that are interested in using historical markers to maximize points know about an APP called Markers. This APP will help you locate historical markers, plaques, and storyboards that are near your location. You can also view a photo of the marker to see if it contains the information you need so you don't waste time chasing down useless markers.

While chasing points for the cruiser program can be fun and adventurous, it is not necessary to be a part of the Cowtown Cruiser Program awards. You can share "What I Saw along the Way" by submitting a 3x5 or 4x6 photo of your Corvette in interesting or unique places you visited. These will need to be brought to the meeting in November where they will be displayed and members will vote on their favorite photo. Please write your name on the back of the photo so it can be returned to you. The top three entries will receive awards in December.

Happy Cruising!!!

Carlanne Hickman
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Reminder for Fall Charity events:



Tuesday, November 10th, 6:00 p.m. – Volunteer at Tarrant Area Food Bank



Saturday, December 5th – Bring toys to the Christmas party for Toys for Tots.



Wednesday, December 16th – Cook Children's Hospital Christmas Party from 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Jane Buehler
Charities Chairperson

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Lake Harmony, PA
August 22-27th, 2015

The Nat'l Top 15 Men in attendance

Convention Awards can be found at:

<http://www.corvettesnccc.org/History/Conventions/2015/history2015conv.html>



Doc #13, Mary Anne #7



Burnout at the drags



Doc at the "Split Rock"

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Doc in the staging line



The staging area



DOC at the finish line



The Pocono Triangle track map



Doc, Jim & Donna, Mary Anne & Fred Garvin



The sign says it all

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Doc going thru Tech



LS Powered C2 in the Concoors



More entries in the Judged Concoors



The picnic at the lake



Valve Cover races



The race track had a soft/hard ending

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Going thru the rain heading to convention



The Funkhana area and onlookers



Robert & Cydnie competing in the Funkhana



Your Done!



Southwest Region Attendees (minus a couple that didn't make the photo)



Scott & Mo

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Doc receiving his National Award for 13th Place



Donald with the CTV Lowdown Award for 2nd Place



Doc, Mary Anne & Donald with awards



One of the evening socials at the lake



Donald & Carlanne competing in the Funkhana



Jim & Donna Forsythe competing in the Funkhana

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



Donald & Carlanne competing in the Funkhana



Robert & Cydnie with their Rallye Awards



Donna & Doc with their awards



Donna with her Convention Award



Cruise time



The Statue of Liberty

2015 NCCC CONVENTION



New York City



Cydnie & Robert at the Brewery



Cydnie & Carlanne at the bar



The Oldest Brewery in the US



Donald accepting CTV's 2nd Place NL Award



Doc accepting a convention award

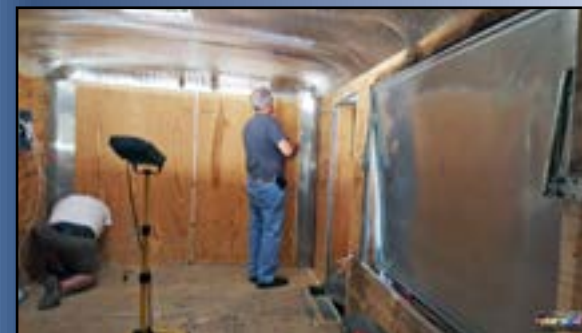
TIMING TRAILER RENOVATION



Workers.....



Workers.....



Workers....



FOREMAN.....



NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM AMBASSADOR



It looks like autumn weather is soon to be upon us. Mister Computer tells me that next week the night-time temperatures will be consistently below 70 degrees here in North Texas, and, hopefully, the daytime temperatures will soon stay below 90 degrees. This is good news for cruising in our Corvettes, especially for those with convertibles. Some may even decide to take a cruise to the National Corvette Museum, where there are lots of events in which to participate.

Construction on the noise abatement berm at Motorsports Park began on August 25, and they expect it to be completed quite soon. The NCM is finalizing the purchase of 10 acres of land for the construction site; and the land-owner has already granted access. I'm sure the Clark Circle neighborhood will be glad for the major reduction in the noise level. The NCM really does want to be a good neighbor.

Speaking of Motorsports Park, there are lots of events to participate in on the 3.15 mile track; which can be arranged into four different configurations. Some of the activities are High Performance Driver Education events, Teen Driver education, and corporate events. The HPDE events begin with classroom instruction and continue with in-car instruction from beginner to advanced level. You will be driving your own car which will have to pass tech inspection first, and a roll bar is required for convertibles. In addition, NCM Insurance offers on-track physical damage insurance while participating in an HPDE event. The insurance is valid on most tracks across the country, but does not include liability coverage. More information can be found at: www.ncminsurance.com/hpde.

On October 3 and November 14 Music City Dream Cars will have some of their exotic cars for rent to drive on-track at Motorsports Park. If you've ever dreamt of driving a Lamborghini or some other exotic sports car now's your chance.



More information is available at the museum website.

During the first week of November there will be an event at the NCM and Motorsports Park that I am sorry I will be unable to attend. Since I am a Vietnam Veteran; I would like to be able to attend Vets 'n' Vettes on November 5th through the 7th, but prior commitments prevent my attendance this year. Hopefully, I'll have the time available next year. This is the annual event where our nation's veterans are honored for their service with tours of the NCM and Corvette Assembly Plant, local tours, and a banquet on Friday night. There will be military and other speakers and a Parade of Corvettes on Saturday in honor of Veterans Day. In addition, on-track rides are given to our Wounded Warriors by volunteer veterans in their Corvettes. So, there is lots to do and see at the National Corvette Museum, the Corvette Assembly Plant, and the beautiful Bowling Green, KY area. If you've never been to the NCM, or even if you have, it's a great place to visit again to experience the picturesque countryside, the open road in your favorite car, and all the history the NCM has to offer. I'll see ya'll on the road!

James Blase
NCM Ambassador

NCCC EVENTS



On November 21st & 22nd, Cowtown will host our **19th Annual Super Speedway Weekend at Texas Motor Speedway.**

It is the largest single event and the largest revenue generating event that Cowtown hosts each year; so please mark these new event dates on your Calendar. We start on Friday afternoon around 4pm with setup, tech, hospitality, etc. with autocrossing taking place on Saturday and Sunday. We do provide a catered dinner with Fastest Time of the Day (FTD) awards on Saturday evening at the host hotel, along with the NKF Charity event. We would also invite you to participate in the event – remember, it is you against the clock and on a surface better than most city streets; you can drive as fast or slow as you want. If you have never autocrossed in NCCC, you can run 10 of the events as a “novice” participant; while you learn all about enjoying your Vette. Feel free to contact me or other competitors in the club for any questions you might have.

We do have our functional chairperson positions filled and we thank everyone that stepped up for those. We still need volunteers to work several areas at the event; so please get involved and help Cowtown to be successful by hosting another great event. On the [Event Information](#) page on our website there is a section labeled [“Functional Descriptions”](#) located under Worker Signup. We would invite you to take a look at that; it explains (at a high-level) what each functional work area does. We will also have worker signup sheets at each membership meeting. If you prefer, you can click the link on CTV's website to RSVP as a worker via email.

You can visit the links embedded here in this article or on our club website to see event photos from previous years. We look forward to your assistance to enable Cowtown to host these

events to be the best in the region – *we need you and your skills and expertise!*

Our NCCC Dates for 2016 have been filed so please mark your calendars.

- **April 30-May 1, 2016: 20th Annual Super Speedway Weekend at Texas Motor Speedway.** This date is the only spring date we could get to eliminate having to host our event either in the heat of the summer or in November next year. TMS has offered us the weekend following that last Thursday in April each year. One drawback, it is the annual Pate Swap Meet; which could also be a benefit. We will be having additional discussions with TMS to ensure our workers and competitors can easily get in and out of the infield area.
- **June 11, 2016: the 5th Annual Corvette Scramble at Fat Daddy's.** We had hoped to host this event on June 4th however a 14 event autocross weekend beat us out for the date.
- **September 17-18, 2016: Our annual No-Frills Autocross Scramble with CCT** which is typically held in the spring. We basically flipped the TMS & this event.

If you have any questions around NCCC, our events or competing, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Doug McMahan & Donald Hickman
2015 NCCC Event Coordinator & Co-Coordinator

SW Region Clubs

- BRAZOS RIVER CORVETTE CLUB (BRCC)
Granbury, TX • SW-540
- CEN-TEX CORVETTE CLUB (CTCC)
Waco, TX • SW-200
- CORVETTE CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY (CCOC)
Oklahoma City, OK • SW-468
- CORVETTE CLUB OF TEXAS (CCT)
Dallas, TX • SW-074
- CORVETTE OWNERS ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTH TEXAS (COAST)
San Antonio, TX • SW-143
- COWTOWN VETTES (CTV)
Fort Worth, TX • SW-055
- EAST TEXAS CORVETTE CLUB (ETCC)
Lufkin, TX • SW-577
- LONGHORN CORVETTE CLUB (LCC)
Austin, TX • SW-207
- MID-COAST CORVETTE CLUB (MCCC)
Lake Jackson, TX • SW-170
- NORTH TEXAS VETTES (NTV)
Fort Worth, TX • SW-555
- OKLAHOMA CITY CORVETTE CLUB (OCCC)
Oklahoma City, OK • SW-131
- SAN JACINTO CORVETTE CLUB (SJCC)
Houston, TX • SW-063
- SUN CITIES CORVETTE CLUB (SCCC)
Albuquerque, NM • SW-085
- TEXAS COMPETITION
CORVETTE CLUB (TCCC)
McGregor, TX • SW-569
- TEXAS CORVETTE
MOTORSPORTS CLUB (TCMC)
Houston, TX • SW-568
- TEJAS VETTES (TV)
Plano, TX • SW-163
- TEXAS OUTLAWS CORVETTE CLUB (TOCC)
Graham, TX • SW-198
- TIN HALL TOYS (THT)
Santa Fe, TX • SW-392
- TULSA VETTE SET (TVS)
Tulsa, OK • SW-248

2015 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	EVENT	CLUB
10/10-11	TBD	1st CHOICE - 10 Autocross Events at TBD	SICC
10/24-25	OKC, OK Noble, OK	Sheriff's Facility	COAST
		1st CHOICE - 7 Autocross Events	OCCC
		Thunder Valley in Noble	
10/31 11/1	Mart, TX	1st CHOICE - 3 Drag Events @ (MT, Record & ET)	
		Prairie Hill Dragway	TV CTCC
10/31	Waco, TX	1st CHOICE - 7 LS Autocrosses	
11/13-14	St Louis, MO	1st CHOICE - 7 LS Autocrosses	TV (BRCC)
10/31	Waco, TX	SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING - 7 PM @ TBD	SWR
11/13-14	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l
11/20-22	Ft Worth, TX	Texas Motor Speedway - 18th Annual Super Speedway Week-end	CTV
		1st CHOICE - 7 LS Autocross Events	(BRCC)
		1st CHOICE- 5 LS Autocross Events	
		Laps on the Oval Sunday Morning	

2016 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	EVENT	CLUB
TBD	Your Club	Nat'l Club Website Contest - Contest Opens	Nat'l
2/27/2028	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l
TBD	Your Club	Nat'l Newsletter Contest - email required / due to partici- pate	Nat'l
19-Mar	TBD	SWR Awards Banquet, hosted by ? Banquet Registration Deadline: ?/??/16(postmarked) Location: TBD TBD Room Cost: \$??? + tax Deadline ?/??/16 (block will be released)	ALL
20-Mar	TBD	SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING - 9:00 AM at TBD	ALL
TBD	Your Club	Nat'l Newsletter Contest - 1st Issue is Due	Nat'l
4/9/2010	Mart, TX	Prairie Hill Dragway	CTCC
4/23/2024	St Louis, MO	7 Low-Speed Autocross Events ◊	MCCC
		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events ◊	
4/23/2024	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l
4/30 - 5/1	Ft Worth, TX	Texas Motor Speedway - 20th Annual Super Speedway Weekend	CTV
		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events ◊	(BRCC)
		5 Low-Speed Autocross Events ◊	
4/30 - 5/1	Ft Worth, TX	Laps on the Oval Sunday Morning	

Complete schedule and flyers for these events can be found at
[Southwest Region Schedule](#)

NCCC GOVERNOR



It is renewal time!!!

It is that time again, bring your checks to me at the meeting or mail them to my address on the insert in this newsletter.

We hope that you all agree with us and want to remain in Cowtown Vettes for the car knowledge and the fun of the social times.

Thank you for having confidence in me to continue again this next year as your NCCC governor. I am honored to represent Cowtown Vettes in all things for the region and nationally.

Saturday, September 19th was the Southwest Region governor's meeting. It is the meeting that we bid on dates for next year and since we have lost our long running September date at Texas Motor Speedway we had to come up with new dates. They are as follows, which I am sure is in the NCCC coordinators article: Texas Motor Speedway event will be held on April 30 and May 1st. The scramble with the rallyes, funkana and carshow will be June 11th. Our joint event with Cowtown Club of Texas will be Sept. 17-18 at a location to be decided.(normally our Mineral Wells event). I hope the dates being set helps you plan your schedules for 2016.

The Region Executive (RE) term is up and we have two very capable candidates, Cowtown member Doc Lambert and Longhorn Corvette Club's Mike Sears. Please let me know if you have an opinion on either candidate. This person will preside at all regional meeting and nationally will be involved with the by-laws for this organization.

AUTOCROSS IT
LIKE YOU STOLE IT!

National Governor's meeting was held the week-



end before Sept. 11-12th in St. Louis. Doug and I attended to represent the Southwest Region and Cowtown. The offices that are open this year for new candidates are Vice President of Competition—Dale Samuelson with no one else running. Business Manager –Jack Wilson with no one else running. Sergeant at Arms—Jeannie Ruston with no one else running. Secretary has 5 candidates, please let me know if you have an opinion on this positions: Mary Bellamy, Fl. Region, Michelle Cantelmo, East Region, Gail Moore, East Ohio Region, Chris Reitz, Midwest Region, and Beth Waters, Michigan Region.

Two weekends of meetings has made me looking for a slowdown in our schedule but I will be ready to have fun with Cowtown at the next planned event.

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