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Cover photo - David & Becky Clarke's 2007 C6 Coupe

# Membership Meeting Location and CTV Sponso

# "BUFFALO WEST"

7101 Camp Bowie West, Fort Worth, TX 76116 (817) 732-2370





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# CALENDAR

Space contraints mean it is not always possible to show everything on this calendar. Please check the website in addition!!!

July Party

10:00-12:00pt

LOCO COYOTE

June 2016 NAT'L ACCORDIAN AWARENESS MTH							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
			NCCC Nat'l Newsletter Contest Deadline	TMS Racing Events Thu thru Sunday	3 *Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm	NCCC TVS / SCCC Events LS Autocross @ Sheriff's Track	
NCCC TVS / SCCC Events LS Autocross @ Sheriff's Track	6	7	8	Volunteer at Tarrant Area Food Bank 6:00pm	TMS Racing Events	* NCCC - CTV Spring Scramble @ Fat Dady's Mansfield	
12	13	FLAG DAY	Board Meeting Lowdown Deadline	16	17	Switzerland of America Cruise	
Father's 19	20	21	22	23		NCCC LCC 25	
Day	Switzerland of America Cruise Saturday June 18th thru Sunday June 26th				Annual Drive Your Corvette to Work Day	Events LS Autocross in Mart	
NCCC LCC Events LS Autocross in Mart	27	28	29	1st Corvette Rolled off Assembly Line in 1953			

July 2016 NATIONAL ICE CREAM MONTH							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
31					1 *Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm	I Forgot Day	
3	July 4th Parade - lunch @ RJ Gators	5	6	7	8	9	
10	11	12	13	National <sup>14</sup> Nude Day	15	16	
17		1		21	Cook Children's	DACKROADS	
NC	<b>CC National Convent</b>	tion	Board Meeting		Christmas in	CRUISE TO	

\* Denotes required attendance and participation for 100%er Award eligibility

Members attending these Events receive 100%er credit in lieu of Cowtown Events

Lowdown Deadline

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Omaha, Nebraska

Sunday 17th thru Friday 22nd

All or

**Nothing** 

Day



### **Committee Chairs 2016**

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MID-AMERICA

James West: Chairperson

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# Words from our President





What a beautiful day for a Club picnic. It was great seeing our members' children and grand-children at one of our events.

We need to involve our family more often.

I want to thank Jo Anne and Raley in behalf of our members for a great time and their hard work. Meanwhile, I received an email from the NCCC President. The 2017 NCCC Convention is back on at Bowling Green KY.

Again I want to thank you for your support!!!

Don Wells
President
dfw73vette@att.net

# WANTED - For Our Website and The Lowdown

**Veteran Photos** – share photos from your service as a veteran

**Member Car Photos** – share photos of your ride on our website

**FCOA Member Photos** – do have Future Corvette Owner Assn Members in your family? ...if so, we would like to share those on our FCOA page.

**Articles** - anecdotes, stories about life with a Corvette, technical details, jokes........

Send to: <a href="macsvettes@gmail.com">macsvettes@gmail.com</a>
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# VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT



**June Event** – The 100%er event for June is the 5th Annual Spring Scramble at Fat Daddy's Sports and Spirits Café, 781 West Debbie Lane, Mansfield, TX. The date is June 11. This is an NCCC sanctioned event. If you have never attended this event, you are in for a treat. It starts with a Car Show at 10 AM. While the

car show is going on, you can participate in the Funkhana in the parking lot at 11 AM. What is a Funkhana, you ask? It is a series of tasks, usually based around a theme, that you perform with a partner working for the fastest time. It is a test of team work, skill, and your sense of humor. Anyone can participate in the funkhana. More info on funkhanas can be found at <a href="http://www.funkhana.com/">http://www.funkhana.com/</a>.

The last events of the day are two rallyes, run simultaneously, departing at 1PM. More information on the Spring Scramble and registration info is available elsewhere in the newsletter and on the website. Lunch is not included, but Fat Daddy's will be open all during the event for your dining pleasure.

<u>In order to get 100%er credit</u>, you must participate as a volunteer or an entrant in one or more events. These are low cost events and a lot of fun, so plan to come out and participate.

**July Events** – July starts off with our annual participation in the **Westcliff West Neighborhood Fourth of July** parade. On Monday, July 4 at about 9:30 AM, we meet at the Congregational Church parking lot, on the corner of Trail Lake Dr. and Manderly. We will decorate our cars and line up. The parade starts promptly at 10 and winds through the neighborhood. Bring candy for the kids and treats for the dogs. After the parade is over, we head to a local watering hole for lunch.

Our July 100%er event will be a backroads cruise to Glen Rose to eat lunch at Loco Coyote. The date will be Saturday, July 23. William Nolan and Mary Pittman will be leading the cruise. Check the cruiser report for details on where to meet and what time. We will arrive at Loco Coyote in time for a 12:30 lunch. We will have the outdoor covered patio reserved for our group. We will be served a barbecue buffet lunch including 3 meats and 4 sides with ice tea for \$18.95 plus tax and tip. Alcoholic beverages will be available for purchase. I need to let the restaurant know the number that are coming, so I will need your RSVP by one week prior.

I'm working on some "bonus events" for June and July, but they are not finalized yet. These will be just for fun – not 100%ers. More info at the meeting and through email.

\*\*To Anne Smith\*\*

Vice President

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#### **M**EMBERSHIP

#### **New Members**

James & Kathy Burt - 2010 Jet Stream Blue Coupe - 72 Coupe Jonathan & Stacey Dowdy - 1989 Convertible William Huber - 1999 Silver Coupe Larry & Jane Smith - 2014 Z51 Convertible

**Bill & Ginny Van Buren** – 2007 Red Coupe

**2nd Time Visitors** 

**Tom & Grace Shelhimer –** 2013 Metallic Red 60th Anniversary **Mitch Williams –** 2009 Red Z06

#### **1st Time Visitors**

Ron & Kristen Drennan - 2006 Black Coupe



06/02 - John Brefczynski 06/03 - Rick Watson 06/05 - Jerry Crim 06/06 - Steve Myers

06/07 - Leslie Holinsworth 06/09 - Rhonda Weible

06/11 - Richard Lambert 06/15 - Steve Weible

06/16 - Cydnie Geyer 06/18 - Carol Savage

06/19 - Karen Fowler 06/19 - Jo Anne Smith

06/20 - Mark Kirby 06/26 - Cathy Castorani

06/27 - Jane Smith 06/29 - Bill Van Buren



06/01 - Robert & Cydnie Geyer

**06/06 - Ted & Lana Gales** 

06/07 - Jim & Leslie Holinsworth

06/10 - William Nolan & Mary Pittman

06/22 - Bob & Lou Ann Pressler

06/26 - Jerry & Phyllis Crim

06/30 - Donald & Linda Blythe



Gwynne Hanna Membership / Welcome Chairperson vettelady67@sbcglobal.net





#### WEBMASTER





We do have a few new event pages, these include the TMS 20th Anniversary Event and the May Family Picnic. I'd like to thank Raley & Jo Anne Smith, Richard Downing, Jason Blocker, Johnny Shotwell who provided photos along with ours. Don't forget to keep your cameras handy – you never know when you might capture a once in a lifetime shot. We can always use more photos and everyone has a different type of photo they like to capture which makes the event pages so much better. For any photo provided, I resized them for use on the web, the Low-Down and our slideshows at membership meetings. Recognition is provided to the photographer on each photo, prior to them being used.

The *NCCC National Website Contest* is taking place June 6 thru July 6, 2016. We have entered again this year and I would invite you to help us bring home the gold. If you see anything that you think is incorrect, something that needs added, an idea to make it look better, etc. please reach out to me. This does come at a bad time since we are leading the Swiss America Cruise from June 18th thru the 26th – smack dab in the middle of the contest. This is your website and I am just the facilitator to post the content.

Are you on Facebook? If so, <u>Cowtown</u> and <u>NCCC</u> have Facebook accounts – we would welcome you to become friends with both of them; both are linked off our home page. In Cowtown, we use FB to reach out to audiences that might not find us on the worldwide-web. We post a few



photos from an event our members participated in and then link that post to our full website; we kind of use FB as a teaser share point so to speak. We post on the Nat'l FB page to show other NCCC clubs how much fun Cowtown and the members have.

As your webmaster, I also maintain a couple-of-dozen email distribution lists for various functions; beyond the CTV-ALL and the officer (CTV-EO) list.

If you have questions around 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: <a href="mailto:ctv-membership@yahoogroups.com">ctv-membership@yahoogroups.com</a>. 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 (from yahoogroups) will eventually time-out as well so don't delay.

Please don't hesitate to shout if you have suggestions, 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 Webmaster macsvettes@gmail.com

# COWTOWN CRUISER



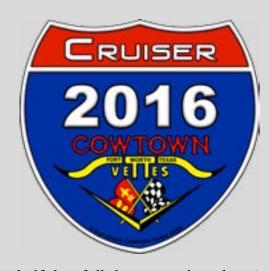


Corvette, always fun to drive!
Rev it up and run
Utilize, your car, your skills, your time
Interesting places
See the sites
Intriguing people
Now, why wait
Go, just go!!!

Your Corvette is always fun to drive whatever the season, but before it gets too hot take the top off and go for a cruise! Rev up the engine and "let 'er run" on the back roads or the highway whichever your pleasure! Utilize your car...don't leave it parked in the garage!! Check out your photo skills for cruiser points or a photo contest entry. It will be time well spent enjoying your ride and the country side. Think of the interesting places you can go, the sites you can see and the intriguing people you can meet. Everyone seems to have an opinion to express or a story to tell about a Corvette or at least they like to gawk, point and wave! Do it now, why wait!!! GO, just go!!!

The next organized cruise on the horizon is the Swiss America Cruise to Colorado on June 18 - 26, 2016, sponsored by Doug and Glenda McMahan. They are in the process of finalizing the plans for the things we will be seeing and doing along the way. It promises to be a great time and the McMahans never disappoint.

The cruise through the back roads of Hood and Somervell counties with a stop at Loco Coyote for lunch is still in the works for later in the year, and we are still looking for anyone who would like



to lead a one-half day, full day or week-end cruise. Remember the cruiser program is designed to motivate you to get out and enjoy your Corvette, see the country side or places of interest and represent Cowtown Vettes. Also, remember that even if you don't wish to tally cruiser points you can still enter pictures in the "What I Saw Along the Way" photo contest.

SO GET OUT AND ENJOY!!!

# HAPPY CRUISING!!!



article and podium scripts by Mary Pittman secretary and general factotum to...(Ha!)

William Nolan
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#### CHARITIES

This month we support **Tarrant Area Food Bank** with our **Volunteer Night** on **Thursday, June 9th, 6:00 pm** 

More details available on the web and at the June membership meeting.



**TBD** 



National Kidney Foundation™

**April** 



**June and November** 



**August** 



"Christmas in July" party - July Christmas party - December



TBD

life is why"



**December** 

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# **CTV FAMILY PICNIC**



Sunday May 15th Veterans Park Arlington













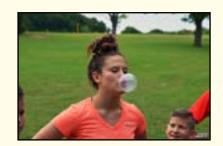






















We are happy to announce that the **National Council of Corvette Clubs 2017 Convention** is **BACK ON TRACK** and will be held **August 21st through August 25th** in Bowling Green, Kentucky. We will have all the competitive events, the awards dinners and the fun and camaraderie that you have enjoyed in Bowling Green in the past.

Make your plans now to join us in "Bowling Green in 17".

Click here for More Info

# WESTCLIFF WEST NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

# Fourth of July Parade Monday, July 4, 2016 - 10:00am

- Bring small, wrapped candies to toss to the kids along the route
- Bring water, sunscreen, hats
- Staging takes place at the Congregational Church at 9:45 AM in the parking lot. Church is at the corner of Trail Lake and Manderly. Parade starts promptly at 10:00.
- Lunch after the parade will be at RJ Gator's, 4413 Trail Lake Dr.
- Questions? Call Carol Savage at 817.926.9257(Home) or 817.366.6727(Cell)

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# CTV 20th Anniversary Texas Motor Speedway Event

# April 29th thru May 1st 2016































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# National Corvette Museum Ambassador



Ok, I will confess to being a Corvette history nut. I enjoy reading about significant



Fred & Donna Rosett's '65

events in Corvette history. I am also pretty sure that I have bored some of my friends with Corvette facts that they have no interest in. Oh well, no one is perfect! Now what does this have to do with the National Corvette Museum?

Well, the NCM website is a wonderful source of these (useless) factoids. The official National Corvette Museum website, <a href="www.corvettemuse-um.com">www.corvettemuse-um.com</a> contains numerous facts about the history of my favorite car.

For example, here is a great trivia question: Most Corvette people are aware that Corvettes have been built in Bowling Green, Kentucky since 1981, but have they ever been manufacture anywhere else? The first paragraph of the page entitled "Learn about Corvettes" provides the answer. It seems the 300 Corvettes that were built in 1953 were built in Flint Michigan. In 1954 production of Corvettes was moved to St. Louis Missouri where it remained until the 1981 model year. During the production of the 1981 Corvette, the cars were built at both plants simultaneously, in St Louis and in Bowling Green.

Another of my favorite trivia questions involves the first time fuel injection was available on a Corvette. The answer can be found on the Corvette timeline on the same page as above. The 1957 Corvette offered optional fuel injection and the first ever 4 speed manual transmission. The "fuelies" have become one of the most sought out collectable Corvettes and they typically sell



for much more than the non-fuel injected version.

I love reading the "Corvette Specs" pages as

well. The pages contain some original quotes from promotional stuff for the model year. Here are some examples from the 1954 Corvette page. "If you're young in heart, you'll like the Chevrolet Corvette. It's a joy to own and thrilling to drive. Designed for sports-loving, fun-loving people, it combines the sensational performance of the sports car with the luxury of the modern passenger car. The Corvette sets the standard for a coming field – The American Sports Car." These statements ring as true today as they did in 1954. Of course I am certain that driving a 1954 Corvette did not provide the same thrill as driving a 2016 Z06.

Lastly, there is also a page that honors those people who were influential in the history of Corvette. Some of those people were Corvette enthusiasts, some were professional racers, and some were employed by GM, but they all shared a passion for America's Sports Car. There is a page which has a picture of each of these individuals, and you can click on the picture to get their stories. You can also nominate someone for the Hall of Fame from this page.

So anyway, I thought it might be fun to challenge my readers to open up the new NCM website and explore it. What I have written above is just a sample of what is on the webpage.

Don Brown
NCM Ambassador
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# **NCCC EVENTS**



We did host our second NCCC event of 2016, our 20th Annual Super Speedway Weekend at Texas Motor Speedway. This

event consisted of twelve low-speed NCCC autocrosses with hospitality on Friday night, oval laps on Sunday morning, catered dinner on Saturday night, FTD Awards and special 20th Anniversary Mementos to all participants and workers. In addition, this event is a fund raiser for the Nat'l Kidney Foundation. Attendance was down for several reasons which I won't belabor in this article. Due to the lower attendance of course comes lower revenues and profits for the club.

We had a lot of great comments on the event, around the professionalism of the workers, the track layout, the quality event we host, etc. That is thanks to all of you!!!

I would like to thank the following Functional Chairpersons that stepped up to make this event a success.

**Charities** Sylvia Hoaldridge / Jane Buehler Richard Downing Friday Night Hospitality Jo Anne Smith **Lunch Tickets** Debbie Lindsev Rick Garabedian / George Aggas Oval Laps **Pre-Staging** Jim Forsythe Registration / Check-in **Carlanne Hickman Saturday Night Dinner** Michelle Aggas / Debbie Lindsey Rick Garabedian / David Clark **Starters** 

Rig Parking William Nolan
Tech Inspection Doc Lambert
Timing Becky Clark
Timing Boards Glenda McMahar

Timing Equipment David Clark

Beyond the functional chairpersons are the dozens of great volunteers who came out to pitch in and work to make this weekend a success. WE THANK YOU ALL!

Cowtown's next NCCC Event Dates for 2016 are on the <u>Southwest Region Schedule</u>, along with flyers. We would ask that you please mark your

calendars to assist in hosting and participating in these events.

- \*June 11, 2016: the 5th Annual Corvette Scramble at Fat Daddy's. This is our forfun NCCC event that consists of a Car Show, a Funkhana and a Gimmick and Poker Rallye (all nationally sanctioned events). This is always a fun day of fun with your Corvette and friends so come on out and enjoy all of the fun events. Next Membership Meeting the slideshow will have photos from past events.
- \*September 17-18, 2016: Our annual No-Frills Autocross Scramble held jointly with CCT. This event will be back out at the Mineral Wells Heliport, same place as our Practice Autocross was held. The course will be longer and different than practice since I never design and use the same course within a few years of each event. We will also have our third SWR Governor's Meeting of 2016 that evening. It is an open meeting if you'd like to sit in and see what we discuss and accomplish in them.

If you have questions around NCCC, our events or competing, please don't hesitate to contact myself, Donald or your NCCC Governor – Glenda.



Doug McMahan & Donald Hickman NCCC Event Coordinator & Co-Cordinator macsvettes@gmail.com

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# **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

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

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



# 2016 Competition Schedule

DATE	LOCATION	EVENT	CLUB	
06/01	Your Club	Nat'l Newsletter Contest - Final Issue is DUE		
06/01		Nat'l Website Contest - Entry Deadline	Nat'l	
		Sheriff's Facility	TVS	
06/04 - 05	OKC, OK	7 Low-Speed Autocross Events	sccc	
		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events		
06/11	Monefield TV	<u>Fat Daddy's Bar &amp; Grill</u>		
	Mansfield, TX	Spring Scramble, Car Show, Funkhana & 2 Rallyes	(BRCC/CCT)	
06/1-07/17	Your Club	Nat'l Club Website Contest - Judging takes place	Nat'l	
07/17 - 22	Omaha, NE	NATIONAL CONVENTION 2016 - PROMO VIDEO  & NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l	
07/22	Omaha, NE	Nat'l Club Newsletter & Website Contest Winners Announced	Nat'l	
08/13 - 14		Motorsports Ranch - 1.3 Mile Lower Track	СТСС	
Cresson,		14 Low-Speed Autocrosses	тссс	
08/13	Cresson, TX	3rd SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING - 7 PM @ TBD	SWR	
08/20 - 21	<u>Bowling</u>	NCM MotorSports Park	SJCC	
00/20 21	<u>Green, KY</u>	10 High-Speed Events	СМСТ	
09/03 - 04 Mi	Mineral Wells	Mineral Wells Heliport	TV	
03/03 04 INITIAL WEBS		14 Low-Speed Autocross Events	TOCC	
09/09 - 10	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l	
	Mineral Wells	Mineral Wells Heliport	CTV/	
09/17-18		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events	CCT(BRCC)	
		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events		
9/17	Mineral Wells	4th SWR GOVERNOR'S MEETING - 7 PM @ Comfort Inn & Suites	SWR	
	<u>OKC, OK</u>	Sheriff's Facility	ccoc	
09/24 - 25		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events	TVS	
		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events	SCCC	
10/01 - 02	TBD	TBD Location	СМСТ	
10/01 - 02		10 Low-Speed Autocross Events	56	
	OKC, OK  Noble, OK	Sheriff's Facility		
10/22 - 23		7 Low-Speed Autocross Events	COAST	
		<u>Thunder Valley in Noble</u>	20,101	
		<b>3 Drag Events</b> - MT, Record & ET		
10/29 - 30	<u>Kyle, TX</u>	<u>Central Texas Speedway</u>	LCC	
10/29 - 30 <u>Ryle, 1 A</u>		10 Low-Speed Autocross Events	1 -	
11/11 - 12	St Louis, MO	NATIONAL MEETINGS	Nat'l	



Complete schedule and flyers for these events can be found at <a href="http://www.ncccswregion.org/schedule.html">http://www.ncccswregion.org/schedule.html</a>

### **NCCC** GOVERNOR



Our Texas Motor Speedway Event was a great success. Thank you all for hard work and again Cowtown put on an exemplary performance. Unfortunately, it was not as well attended as in years past but we had just as much fun as usual.

We now have 181 members in Cowtown. We are a growing club and have lots to offer all of our members, from competition events, charitable events and fun socials. Come out to our 100% event on June 11 at Fat Daddy's Bar and Grill and see how much fun we can have competing in a car show, funkhana and two Rallyes (one gimmick and one poker). This is great fun! The car show is like any other car show but simple. The funkhana is a fun event that we compete against the clock with a partner in games such as "big kid" things like bean bag toss or racing a creeper thru cones or something simple. Ask Doug who had a lovely bride last year, George Aggas! Again, there will be stories be told from this event! It is a NCCC event so you and Cowtown can earn points for the championship series in the Southwest Region. The rallye's are both run at the same time, you get directions to follow and questions to answer along the way to end back at your starting point for the awards ceremonies and a cold one!

There have been a few recent changes in the competition schedule for the Southwest Region so be sure to check out the schedule in the Lowdown or on the website.

NCCC Convention is coming up and looks to be fun in Omaha, NE June 17-22. It is not too late to sign up.

There is still time to apply for the Larry Kolb scholarship, due by June 15th. Check out the rules on the website.

Again, I want to remind you if any of your info,



such as email address or physical address changes, please let me know. This is the way you receive the news from national or as well as Cowtown.

Southwest Region standings are as follows:

Kevin Anthony # 2
Ronnie McCrary # 6
Doc Lambert # 8

Cathy Anthony # 4
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Thanks!

Karen Watson

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