



Acadia Region Corvette Club

A Club for Corvette Enthusiasts Since 2008

President's Letter for October 2026



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For the last weekend of the month, Carol and I, along with the Shepards and Ed Dailide, ventured north to St. John, New Brunswick for CSNB's 4th annual Moon Glow show and poker run. And despite the forecast of cold and rain, it was a glorious top-down weekend: temps in the 70s, mostly clear and calm skies, and lots of early fall colors. Pages 3 & 4 have a few photos of the event. Then with the weekend behind us, September finished with the best soaking rain we've had in over a month. Now let's hope that the final month for Corvette cruising (for most of us, anyway) will stay dry. I can't speak for anyone else, but there are still lots of cruising miles for the Deans and Firefly to enjoy.

Celebrations

October Birthdays

Cassandra Babbit Donna Shea
Beth Crane Franny Stackpole
Ann Lee

October Anniversaries

Larry & Jane Billings
John & Donna Shea
Barry & Debbie Shepard



Annual Meeting

Our Annual Meeting is this month, Wednesday the 28th. Once again, we have no candidates for Treasurer or Historian and only the incumbents for the remaining positions. If you are willing to serve in one of the six officer positions, contact me (Roger) to be put on the ballot. But even if you don't want to run, please make an effort to attend the Annual Meeting.

In a Corvette every trip is an adventure!

September Lunch Outings

September's dining adventure was at the Seafood Ketch in Bass Harbor following Cars & Coffee. Twelve ARCC members showed up for the Auto Museum's twice-monthly event and nine of us headed over to Bass Harbor for lunch, including Diane in her white C7 convertible! The day featured very occasional and very light sprinkles of rain, but not enough really to justify putting tops up. Except for the one in the middle of lunch. The sky darkened and it started to spit rain so several of us interrupted lunch to put tops up, just in case. It was a false alarm.



Below, clockwise from front: Diane Bossert, Pat Minier, Randi & Juli Everett, Carol & Roger Dean, Charlene Clemens, John Favour, & Ken Minier.



Diane's Next Restaurant Adventure

Diane's next dining outing is tentatively planned for Sunday, October 18th at the High Tide Restaurant in Brewer, 4:00 pm – ???. Look for an email from Diane as the date gets closer.

ARCC at CSNB's Moon Glow and Poker Run

CSNB puts on a fantastic event every year, combining a car show and poker run over two days. This year they had over 70 cars for the Friday night show and 55 went on Saturday's poker run. As if the show itself wasn't enough reason to go, they always have really good silent auction and lots of door prizes. This year the top four prizes were two certificates toward tires (C\$500 & C\$1000) from the club sponsor Coast Tire, and one set of four Michelin tires from Michelin. (Sadly, no one from ARCC won any of these.)



↑ "Moon Glow" it certainly was!

← Barry & Deb Shepard,
Carol Dean, & Ed Dailide

More Moon Glow & Poker Run

Over 70 cars at Friday's show and 55 participating in the poker run. Photos on this page are Roger & Carol, Barry & Deb (orange sweater), a mid-poker run stop, Ed, and the Shepards in their black C7 at the best photo spot on the entire run.



Upcoming Events

October 3rd — Seal Cove Auto Museum Cars & Coffee. 1414 Tremont Road. 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Theme is "Hollywood Horsepower."

October 10th — Corvettes of Southern New Brunswick Fundy Trail Cruise. Fundy Trail fall foliage run along the coastline from St. Martins to Alma through Fundy National Park. Contact Roger Dean (RADean47@gmail.com) for more information.

October 17th — Seal Cove Auto Museum Cars & Coffee. 1414 Tremont Road. 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Season Finale.

October 18th — ARCC Dinner at High Tide Restaurant, Brewer; 4:00 pm.

October 28 — ARCC Monthly Meeting. Club meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of every month, usually at Pat's Pizza in Ellsworth, starting at 5:00 pm.

—Bar Harbor.

October 31 — Seal Cove Auto Museum closes for the season.

December 6 — ARCC Christmas party. At the Seadog Brewery in Bangor. 1:30 pm. More details forthcoming as the date approaches. (This is a **Sunday**.)

Interesting or Offbeat Corvette News

If you are curious about how successful this year's *Corvettes at Carlisle* event was, Hemmings.com had a lengthy article that will satisfy your curiosity. Published online on September 7th, its title gives the answer—"Corvette History Fuels Record Attendance at Corvettes at Carlisle"—and the article provides tons of details, including lots of photos. "How many cars showed up?" you ask. 3,239 registered for the Fun Field, which easily surpassed the previous record of 3,080 set in 2023. Follow the link below to read all about the show.



https://www.hemmings.com/stories/corvette-history-fuels-record-attendance-at-corvettes-at-carlisle/?utm_content=latest_stories&uemlid=f1d7b74e4cba343957fb6e911918fdb65f350d4bdf6fd157905a6183b4f7cbb5&utm_campaign=eDaily&utm_source=Sailthru&utm_medium=email&utm_term=eDaily%20Newsletter

See you on the road!

Roger Dean

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roger Dean".

ARCC President

October Club Meeting —

*Our next meeting will be on October 28th
at Pat's Pizza. The usual time, 5:00 pm.*