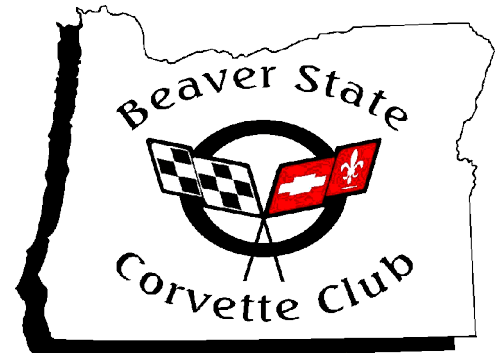


# Beaver Tales



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The cutoff for articles to be printed in the newsletter is the last Monday of the Month.

Check out our website for the most current club information!!! <http://www.beaverstatecorvetteclub.com>

## Next Meeting: November 8th at Ciddici's Pizza

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### Prez Comments:

It seems like the events and corvette time is beginning to slow up. Well this happens every year, wish we could have the nice weather all of the time. We have had some nice events this year and the weather, the food and the Company could not have been better.

I know Mary sent a set of minutes out to everyone, so I won't ramble on about things that were discussed at the meeting, just a few.

Remember; please be involved in your club. We need officers and committee's, people to help and talk about different items that maybe could turn into an event, or a drive, anywhere, anyplace??? This club needs everyone to help, not just the same people.

The year end banquet is a good example. Sally and Jim Cooper are working on this and would welcome people to help them out. Just give them a call or email them, they would appreciate it. This is scheduled to be on January 7, 2006, so please mark this date on your calendar and plan to be there and possibly help if needed.

On Dec.11, the club has been invited to a Christmas Party by Gene and Carolyn Kidd, at their home. I'm sure there will be some information on this coming up. This was a very nice thing for them to do, so let all us show up and have some fun.

We have received some news that has been going on about Bonny and John Bower's daughter Karina. I'm sure everyone has heard and received an email from different people about the terrible accident she had. Our prayers are with her, John and Bonny and their family. We hope she will improve daily and get well. This has had to be a terrible thing to have happened to them.

"Save the Wave"  
Gwen

## HEADS or TALES?

### BSCC Club Notices:

Nominations for the 2006 BSCC officers are in progress. Nominations for officers were taken at the last meeting. Nominations will also be taken at the next meeting. I will be contacting individuals in November to confirm their nomination for the office. At that time you will have the opportunity to decline the nomination. Nominations are open for President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasure positions. If you can't make the meeting and would like to nominate someone please email your nomination to the newsletter editor and I will make sure they get on the list.

**Veterans Day Parade in Eugene** - For those interested in participating in the Veterans Day Parade in Eugene we will be leaving from Carson Chevron at 10:30am on Sunday November 6th. We will meet up with the Cascade Corvette Club in Eugene at 11:30. The parade is at 1:00pm.

### KARINA BOWENS UPDATE - WONDERFUL NEWS

Karina finally is alert and showing improvement and they are moving her out of ICU today! She has opened her eyes and can communicate somewhat although she still has a trache in her throat. She has been removed from the respirator but still has an oxygen mask on to assist her. She is being placed in a body brace to sit her up a bit so she can be x-rayed to determine if back surgery will be the best thing for her. She is totally off sedation and now only on 1 pain med and a feeding tube and a couple other meds. I believe the Dr. may have approached her today about her paralysis but I am not positive about that. She is aware of the loss of use in her rt arm but I told her not to worry about it now and that with healing and therapy we will try to regain movement in it. She has assigned me as her personal rep and has agreed to receive blood as needed and we have the legal paperwork done for that. As of tomorrow, I would ask all of you to visit her and to begin sending her cards and/or flowers or stuffed animals to help pick up her spirits as she deals with this new phase of her life to:

Karina Bowens

Legacy Emanuel Hospital

2801 W Gantenbein Ave

Portland, OR 97227

503-413-4116 (patient info)

Thank you so very much for all your prayers and pls continue them as she has a long ways to go yet but it appears she will remain with us a while longer.

This truly proves the power of prayer!

John and Bonny Bowens



### November Birthdays!

Don Cipolione 11/7

Bob Gunderman 11/27

Suzanne Gunderman 11/12

Bill Thibodeaux 11/1

## 2005 Events Calendar

December 11th BSCC Christmas Party Christmas Party will be at Gene and Carloyn Kidd's house. More information to be announced latter.

## 2006 Events Calendar

January 7th BSCC Year End Banquet Nothing to report as of yet just the date.

February 18-19 29th Annual Southern Oregon Rod and Custom Show Held at Jackson County Fairground and Exposition Center and Padgham Pavilion. Show is held indoors. Held By Rogue Valley Street Rods. See vehicles, commercial displays, raffles, door prizes & more. For more info call: 541-944-2096 or email [troyboyd@earthlink.net](mailto:troyboyd@earthlink.net)

May 26-27 (Memorial Day Weekend) Checkerboard Vette Gathering - Primm, NV This is a pre-registration event only No Last Minute Drop-In's You must be registered for the event to participate in the Poker Run & Dinner For registration information: [http://www.corvettecruzin.com/2006\\_checkerboard\\_gathering-primm.htm](http://www.corvettecruzin.com/2006_checkerboard_gathering-primm.htm)

June 24 (9 am - 3 pm) Mt Hood Corvette Club Annual Corvette Owners BBQ Russ Chevrolet - Hwy 99 and 217; Tigard, OR CONTACT: , , mthoodcorvettes@comcast.net Mt. Hood Corvettes Annual Corvette Owners BBQ CORVETTES ONLY SHOW to be held at Russ Chevrolet Hwy 99 & 217 Tigard, Oregon. Pre-registration by June 7th (\$15.00); Registration Day of the show (\$20.00) Lunch will be served.

July 7-9 High Desert Corvette Club Event- Bend

July 21-22 Any Color/Any Year All Corvette Gathering and Charity Poker Run This is a PRE-REGISTRATION EVENT ONLY-NO LAST MINUTE DROP IN'S For registration information: <http://www.corvettecruzin.com/>

September 1-2 (Labor Day Weekend) Checkerboard Vette Gathering - Reno, NV You must be registered for the event to participate in the Poker Run & Dinner For registration information: [http://www.corvettecruzin.com/2006\\_checkerboard\\_gathering-reno.htm](http://www.corvettecruzin.com/2006_checkerboard_gathering-reno.htm)