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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE GARY COCKRIEL

Hi gang!

I hope this finds everyone well. I know many are ready to get out and put this thing behind us. Well it looks like things are starting to loosen up a little, but it is doubtful that we will be able to meet in our large membership group, either in the Museum or anywhere. My friend the County Judge of Simpson County is in contact with the health people in Frankfort weekly. He is saying that he doesn't think they will allow any gatherings of our size for at least a few more months!

I have contacted our Board members and we are going to meet soon. We will be coming up with possible activities for the club, like cruises, where we can follow the CDC guidelines.

Bash is coming up soon and I'm sure you have seen it is virtual this year! You can help support the Museum by registering and "attending" the activities they have planned. Just go to the NCM website to sign up.

I'd like to get the Corvettes and Coffee started as soon as they will let us back in and we can even do that in the parking lots. We promised The Q we'd back, but the virus hit and shut things down. I'm going to check with him again this week about another one there soon!

Until we can meet, be safe!

A man

## **CLBG EVENTS**

#### **CLBG Events**

June CLBG Membership Meeting **CANCELLED** 

June 12 — CLBG 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration at Hot Rod's game - **CANCELLED** – Refunds have been issued.

### **Other Events**

May 28-30 - NCM Bash - changed to a virtual event - see NCM website for details

### **BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**





06/01	Michelle White	
06/02	Greg Terry	
06/03	Mona Beam	
06/04	Shirley Biggs	
06/07	Kathy Wilson	
06/09	Donald Brooks	
06/10	James Pierce	
06/12	Rich Sigler	
06/12	Janet Brown	
06/13	Teresa Hart	
06/20	Gary Cockriel	
06/21	Dean Pedigo	
06/24	Sally Ray	
06/28	Miki Wiseman	
06/28	John O'Laughlin	
06/29	Mary Bobbett	

06/02	Jeff & Karen Grosnik
06/05	Bob & Teresa Dorris
06/06	Larry & Caron McCool
06/14	Dan & Michelle Garrett
06/15	Larry & Mona Beam
06/15	Roger & Sally Vincent
06/18	Steve & Patti Simmons
06/22	Ed & Sandy Hollingsworth

a Miss

a car, a curve

# **CLBG M**EMBERSHIP **A**NNIVERSARIES

This is where we celebrate our members who have been with us for 5, 10, 15 or more years.





**Dennis & Sharon Smith – 20 Years** 

He kissed the Miss

and missed the curve.



# CLBG NATIONAL CORVETTE MUSEUM AMBASSADOR Rich Sanders

About the only reason that I have been to a gas station in the last several months is to get gas for the lawn mower. That is another way of saying that we have been driving very few miles and none in our Corvette. Consequently, it is not difficult to meet the requirements of my National Corvette Museum insurance policy.

I know that a large portion of the CLBG membership carries their coverage through the NCM. I also understand the eligibility to qualify for such coverage will not work for many daily driver and high mileage members. But, for those of you who might closely fit within the requirements, it might be a good time to give Adam Boca a call at 877-678-7626 to discuss potential cost saving coverage and other details. Adam and his team are available during normal business hours.

The staff at the National Corvette Museum has been working diligently to bring the 2020 Michelin NCM Bash to the world of Corvette owners. The pandemic has made the Bash continue to morph into different forms in order to safely go forward. The NCM decision makers and staff could have easily just canceled the 2020 event. But, instead they worked out the plans to reschedule to the last weekend in May. The rescheduling could not have been an easy task. The challenge of communicating with vendors and area businesses to insure availably had to be daunting.

Then came the hurdle: cannot do large gatherings. The primary focus for the NCM organizers was the need to have a Bash. Thus, as most of the world has resorted to, the virtual Bash concept was born. People who have kept their original registration in place and others who since have registered for the virtual Bash will be able to "attend" virtually on May 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>. Agendas have been sent out to registrants along with other instructions. There is still time to register online at the NCM's website. Here is a glass half-full comment concerning the virtual Bash: At least you won't have to worry about rain.

Don't forget your chance to own a C8 Corvette is just a raffle ticket away and much better odds of winning than the national lottery. NCM Corvette raffle tickets are available online at the NCM's website or can be purchased at the Museum. Upcoming raffles:

- 2020 Elkhart Lake Blue Corvette Coupe Drawing 5/29/2020 (note: listed as part of the Virtual Michelin Bash agenda)
- 2020 Blade Silver Corvette Convertible Drawing 6/18/2020 (note: drawing is just 3 days prior to Fathers' Day what a great gift!!)
- 2021 BYO Corvette or \$60,000 Drawing 7/16/2020

Corvette raffle tickets are available online at the NCM's website at: <a href="https://www.corvettemuseum.org">https://www.corvettemuseum.org</a> or you can go directly to the raffle page at: <a href="https://raffle.corvettemuseum.org">https://raffle.corvettemuseum.org</a>.



**GM Billboard** 

# RECIPE OF THE MONTH! Corn on the Cob



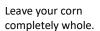
This is more a cooking "hack" than a recipe. You may have seen this before, or even have tried it. But I am here to testify as to the miracle of this method of cooking and cleaning (yes, in that order) corn on the cob. Who of us has not struggled with cleaning an ear of corn to prepare it to cook. Pulling off the husks and silk, only to spend frustrating time trying to remove every skinny, sticky silk that clings to the corn, and then to your hands, countertop, and floor.



Not me! Not any more! Just read the method below and believe the photos. Then try it! You will experience a forehead-smacking, "Why haven't I always known about this?" moment when you gaze at your pristine, cooked ear of corn, or my name isn't Goddess of All Cooking Knowledge. (Just kidding – that's only my title!)

Corn factoid: Did you know that the silks are attached to each kernel of corn. Yep, every single kernel has one silk, which starts at the kernel and extends all the way up to the top of the ear.







Place one ear in microwave. I cook on high for 3 and one half minutes. Experience with your microwave and size of the ear may alter the length



of time you choose.



Using a strong, sharp knife, cut off the bottom (stalk) end of the ear. IMPORTANT: you need to cut slightly above the end, on the kernel portion, else the husks may not slide off as desired.







Now the fun part! Firmly hold the top (silk end) of the corn. Holding on to the husks and silks, gently shake. The corn will slide out the bottom end. If it won't come out, look at the cut end and make sure the cut is up into the corn portion. Also, a very under-cooked ear won't want to release.



Ta da!! You can try cooking 2 or three ears at a time, adjusting the cook time. Have fun!



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