

**CHICAGO CROSS-ROADS CORVETTE CLUB**  
**BIOGRAPHY**  
**Established Nov 1, 1992**

**PREAMBLE**

*The Chicago Cross-Roads Corvette Club was established as a body to promote an image that encourages personal growth and achievement for all. Additionally, the club will promote Corvette Club activities by; being Anti-Drug and Pro Community, collecting and publishing information, sponsor activities, affairs and gatherings that enhance the enjoyment of the ownership of a Corvette car, both public and private. The Chicago Cross-Roads Corvette Club is an Illinois based Corporation not for profit, Charter Number 5703-294-4,.*

**CORVETTE MUSEUM MEMBERSHIP # 500279**

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**Goals**

- To provide a positive image and example for developing youth of the Illinois and Indiana area
- To develop open communication to all Corvette Clubs, regardless of Race, Creed , Color or Gender
- To develop and maintain an organization structure
- To develop policies, rules and regulations governing public affairs and conventions
- To develop policies, rules and regulations governing competition events
- To develop policies, rules and regulations governing the showing of Corvette motor cars
- To develop policies, rules and regulations governing the awarding of cash grants and scholarships
- To develop a “break even” financial system

## **Milestones:**

- 1. Club Established September 1992.**
- 2. State Charter and Articles of Incorporation issued October 1992 (Not for Profit).**
- 3. 1993, Established club sponsorship with Woodfields Chevrolet of Schaumburg, Illinois.**
- 4. 1993, Establishment of the Thanksgiving and Xmas charity food and toy giveaway.**
- 5. 1994, Began teaming with the Robert Abbott Elks Lodge #1252, Chicago Heights, Illinois to provide needy families food for Thanksgiving and Christmas.**
- 6. 1995, Began participation in the Indianapolis Circle City Classic Parade.**
- 7. 1996, August, Created the “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**
- 8. 1996, Participated in the city of Robbins and Ford Heights, Illinois Parade.**
- 9. 1996, Carried Officials in the Indianapolis Circle City Classic Parade.**
- 10. 1997, Carried Officials in the Indianapolis Circle City Classic Parade.**
- 11. 1997, August, Held “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**
- 12. 1998, August, Held “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**
- 13. 1998, Carried Officials in the Indianapolis Circle City Classic Parade.**
- 14. 1999, August, Held “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**
- 15. 2000, August, Held “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**
- 16. 2000, Expanded Robert Abbott Elks Lodge teaming to include toys for the needy at Christmas.**
- 17. 2001, Teamed with Woodfield Chevrolet (Sponsor) for their Open House and Corvette Maintenance workshop.**
- 18. 2001, May Participated in the Joliet Black Pride Parade.**
- 19. 2001, June, Only Black Corvette Club invited to participate in Channel 5 promotion for Bloomington Gold Corvette Rally.**
- 20. 2001, August, Held “Annual Picnic” to honor the people that support us.**

21. **Contributed to the 9/11 Relief Fund .**
22. **2001, November Provide financial support to the Country Club Hills, Matteson, Lansing and Harvey, Cub Scout Pack 386 for a overnight camping trip.**
23. **2001, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge to provide toys for the needy in Chicago Heights for Christmas.**
24. **2002, February Provided sponsors T-shirts to Cub Scout Pack 386 for CubMobile (Soap Box) Derby.**
25. **2002, March, Established event sponsorship with Ecklers Corvette, parts and accessories,**
26. **2002, May, Held party at St Kilan's Church to raise money for College Fund.**
27. **2002, Teamed with Woodfield Chevrolet (Sponsor) for their Field Day at Greatlake: Drag Strip in Wisconsin, for a Corvette workshop.**
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29. **2002, June, Hosted Corvette for Kids June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Tully Park 91ts and King Drive. Attended by over 250 children and parents. Co-sponsored by Alderman, Freddren Lyle, City of Chicago and the Chicago Park District.**
30. **2002, August, Hosted the 5<sup>th</sup> annual community give back picnic at Green Lakes Forrest Preserve. Sponsored by Chicago Cross-Roads and Woodfield Chevrolet.**
31. **2002, August, Held "Annual Picnic" to honor the people that support us.**
32. **2002, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender to provided Corvettes for the Defender Back to School parade.**
33. **2002, August, Provided school supplies and backpacks to the Pullman Elementary School in the Roseland Community as part of our back to school support program. Chicago South**
34. **2002, September, Provided school supplies and backpacks to the West Side Elementary School in the Garfield Park Community as part of our back to school support program. Chicago West.**
35. **2002, November, Held second party at St Kilan's Church to raise money for College Fund.**
36. **2002, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge to provide toys for the needy in Chicago Heights for Christmas**

37. 2003, March, Held community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Park Manor Bowl in Chicago.
38. 2003, May, Held third party at St Kilan's Church to raise money for College Fund.
39. 2003, June, Club sponsored Pizza day at Beethoven Public School located at 47<sup>th</sup> an State Street in Chicago, for Per-School, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grades and Staff.
40. 2003, June, Hosted Corvette for Kids at Tully Park 91ts and King Drive. Attended over 3000 children and parents. Co-sponsored by Alderman, Freddrenna Lyle, City of Chicago and the Chicago Park District.
41. 2003, June, Requested by the Chicago Defender to provide cars for the Junetenth celebration/Parade on Chicago's South side.
42. 2003, August, Held "Annual Picnic" to honor the people that support us.
43. 2003, August, Provided Corvettes to The Chicago Defender and the Black Star Foundation
44. 2003, November, Held 2nd community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Park Manor Bow Chicago.
45. 2003, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge to provide toys for the needy in Chicago Heights for Christmas
46. 2004, March, Held 3rd community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Park Manor Bowl, Chicago.
47. 2004, April, Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash
48. 2004, June, Club sponsored Pizza day at Beethoven Public School located at 47<sup>th</sup> an State Street in Chicago, for Per-School, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grades and Staff.
49. 2004, June, Requested as the official transportation of the JuneTeenth Parade in Chicago.
50. 2004, May, Club trip, Indy 500 Motor Speedway.
51. 2004, June, Three day Club Trip to Toronto, Canada.
52. 2004, August, Held "Annual Picnic" to honor the people that support us.

- 53. 2004, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender to provided Corvettes for the Defender Back to School parade.**
- 54. 2004, August, Car meet at 95<sup>th</sup> and Stony, Chicago to help open shopping center**
- 55. 2004, September, Made cash contribution to the Chicago back to school programs.**
- 56. 2004, September, Car meet at Cisco's Music World for Vipers and Vettes**
- 57. 2004, October, participated in the American Diabetes Association (ADA) Walk to raise money as a sponsor.**
- 58. 2004, October, participated in Chicago Police Departments (Hands-Across-3<sup>rd</sup> Distr crime prevention program.**
- 59. 2004, October, Teamed with Alderman, Freddrenna Lyle, City of Chicago and the Chicago Park District, to co-sponsored host the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Corvette for Kids Octob 10<sup>th</sup> at Tully Park 91<sup>st</sup> and King Drive. Attended by over 250 children and parents.**
- 60. 2004, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge to provide toys for the needy in Chicago Heights for Christmas.**
- 61. 2005, March Held 4th community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Dolton Bowl, Dolton, IL**
- 62. 2005, Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash, notified we were the largest Black Corvette Club to visit.**
- 63. 2005, May Club participation in Chicago Park Dist Tuley Park Little League ball park dedication parade. 18 cars paraded, we carried Ald. Lyle and Congressman Bobby Rush.**
- 64. 2005, May Club visit to D&M Corvette Open house in Downers Grove, IL**
- 65. 2005, June Club sponsored Pizza day at Beethoven Public School located at 47<sup>th</sup> and State Street in Chicago, for Per-School, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grades and Staff.**
- 66. 2005, June Club hosted lunch and Corvette show and tell at Chicago Westside Christian School 1240 So. Pulaski Rd. Chicago, IL Contributed \$200.00 to their end of school year Picnic.**
- 67. 2005, June Club invited by Chicago Girl Scouts to participate in "Celebrate Englewood" the 1<sup>st</sup> annual event to celebrate the new homes and reduced crime at Robison High School.**

68. 2005, June Club participated as the official transportation for the Chicago Juneteen Parade on Chicago's southside. Carried all parade Marshall's with half the cars and drove as Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club with club banners with the remainder.
69. 2005, June Club presented a cars show at the request of West Point Baptist Church, Chicago, for their annual picnic. Provided Q&A to the children and parents present.
70. 2005, July Club participated in Fass Glass Corvette Clubs first annual Show and Shine, Meet & Greet at Sweet Georgia Brown's Parking Lot. Two Club cars won prizes.
71. 2005, July Club participated in Chicago Radio Station 107.5 stage and car show at 183<sup>rd</sup> and Kedzie sponsored by Cisco's Music World.
72. 2005, July Held 5th community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Dolton Bowl, Dolton, IL.
73. 2005, July Hosted the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Dave Woodson, CCCC KFC Event at Rainbow Beach Park, 79<sup>th</sup> and Lake Michigan.
74. 2005, Aug Invited to support and participate in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Apostolic Church of God Car and Motorcycle show at 63<sup>rd</sup> & Dorchester, Chicago, Illinois. Invited to participate in all future car shows.
75. 2005 August, Held "Annual Picnic" to honor the people and clubs that support us. Corvettes were present for the event.
76. 2005, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provide Corvettes for the Defender Back to School parade.
77. 2005, August, Car meet at 95<sup>th</sup> and Stony, Chicago to assist owner to promote new shopping center.
78. 2005, September, Car Meet at McDonalds located at 79<sup>th</sup> and King Dr., Chicago to promote local owners site.
79. 2005, September, Scheduled a Rainbow Beach Sports Car meet to introduce a Katrina Storm victim family from Biloxi, MS who the club adopted to provide assistance during their trying time in their lives.
80. 2005, September, Presented the first annual CCCC scholarship to the winner, Tarrah Cooper, of Oak Park with an award of \$1,000.00. Tarrah maintains a 4.5 grade point average, and majors in communications at Columbia University in MO.
81. 2005, September, Took the family of Laronda Custine, a Katrina storm victim from Biloxi, MS., on a \$1000.00 shopping trip to Target, located at 1180 S. Clark Street, Chicago.

82. 2005, October, Held first meeting at St. Ailbe's Church. This is the new official meeting location.
83. 2005, October. Held first car show in Partnership with Manny, owner of Manny's Blue Room, located in Robbins, Illinois. Awarded ten (10) trophies, and agreed to hold two events at his location twice a year, beginning and end of summer.
84. 2005, October, Held 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Steppers Set/Party at Cezars Inn 5001 W. 79<sup>th</sup> Street Burbank, Illinois, to raise money for 2006 College Fund.
85. 2005, November, Received a call from Jeff Davis Defender Charities requesting six cars to drive dignitaries in The Black Veterans Day parade on South Martin Luther King Drive. Six members drove in the parade from 43<sup>rd</sup> and King Dr. to the War Memorial at 35<sup>th</sup> and King Dr.
86. 2005, Individual club members made contributions to the clubs Emergency relief fund.
87. 2005, October, The club voted to outfit the family of Laronda Custine, a Katrina storm victim from Biloxi, MS., with winter coats. We took the family to Burlington Coat Factory, in the shopping center located at 87<sup>th</sup> and the Dan Ryan Expressway, Chicago, to make the purchase.
88. 2005, October, 1st annual car meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL 40 cars participated.
89. 2005, October, 5<sup>th</sup> Club Steppers and Costume Dance at Cezars Inn, Burbank, IL.
90. 2005, November, Invited by Chicago Defender to drive in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Black Veterans Day Parade.
91. 2005, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas.
92. 2006, April, Club trip to Memphis Tenn. And Tunica, MS. 13 cars made the trip.
93. 2006, April Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash, held meeting with the plant manager Will Cooksie. With our total of 30 cars, we were notified that to date we are the largest Black Corvette Club to visit.
94. 2006, May Held 6th community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Dolton Bowl, Dolton, IL.
95. 2006, May Club participation in Chicago Park Dist Tuley Park Little League ball park dedication parade. 18 cars paraded, we carried Ald. Lyle and others.

96. 2006, May Club participated in Fass Glass Corvette Clubs first annual Show and Shine, Meet & Greet at Sweet Georgia Brown's Parking Lot.
97. 2006, June Club hosted Corvette show and tell at Chicago Westside Christian School 1240 So. Pulaski Rd. Chicago, IL Contributed \$200.00 to their end of school year Picnic.
98. 2006, June Club participated with thirty one (31) as the official transportation for the Chicago Juneteenth Parade on Chicago's Southside. Carried all parade Marshall's with half the cars and drove as Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club with club banner with the remainder.
99. 2006, Club visit to Detroit Michigan, on a trip planned by Silas Harrington to visit the Motown Museum, Belle Island Park, Museum of African American History and Taft Fest of Detroit. In Addition, met leadership of the combined Detroit Corvette Clubs/UCCC.
100. 2006, July, 2<sup>ND</sup> Annual car meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 40 cars participated.
101. 2006, July Hosted the 2<sup>ND</sup> Annual Crossroads Sports Car and Motorcycle Event at Rainbow Beach Park, 79<sup>th</sup> and Lake Michigan – 39 cars, 18 motorcycles participated.
102. 2006, July Club participated in 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Apostolic Church Car show, and provided the most cars entered by any participating club.
103. 2006 August, Held 9<sup>th</sup> "Annual Picnic" to honor the people of the community and other clubs "NWIC & Fass Glass "that supported us over the past year. 74 Corvettes were present for the event.
104. 2006, August, Presented the second annual CCCC scholarship to the winner, Tarral Cooper, of Oak Park. She was provided an award of \$1,000.00. Tarral continues to maintain a 4.5 grade point average, completed an internship at BET Television in New York City and continues to major in communications at Columbia University in M
105. 2006, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provide Corvettes for the Defender Back to School parade.
106. 2006, August, Provided Grant Memorial AME Church school backpack giveaway for 100 children. And a car show. In addition to the Pastor and officials of the church, our invited guest, 4<sup>th</sup> Ward Alderman Toni Preckwinkle also was present.
107. 2006, September, Invited and attended the Annual Brew City Corvette Club's car show in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Formed a sister club alliance with the club.
108. 2006, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual end of season car meet at Rainbow Beach.

109. 2006, October, 3rd Annual car meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 40 cars participated.
110. 2006, October, Held 7th community give back Bowl-a-Rama at Dolton Bowl, Dolton IL.
111. 2006, November, provided \$500 to St. Albies Church for their needy family's Thanksgiving Fund.
112. 2006, November, Invited by Chicago Defender to be the official transportation for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Black Veterans Day Parade on Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Chicago, IL.
113. 2006, November, 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Contribution of \$500.00 to the St. Albie needy and hungry family fund.
114. 2006, November, Sponsored 1<sup>st</sup> Skating Party at William Penn, Public School. Met the club Objective of supporting groups and individuals in all areas of Chicago-Land.
115. 2006, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas. For the first time we, CCCC joined in passing out the toys to the children.
116. 2007, March, Held 8th community give back Candle Lite Bowl at Dolton Bowl, Dolton, IL. The funds raised are used to fund the three \$1000.00 annual CCCC scholarships.
117. 2007, April, Club trip to Memphis Tenn. And Tunica, MS. 19 cars made the trip.
118. 2007, April Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash, held meeting with the plant manager Will Cooksie, C-6 Chief driver and Chief Engineer. With our total of 27 cars, we were notified that to date we are the largest Minority Corvette Club to visit Bowling Green.
119. 2007, May, Club visit to Chosen Few Corvette Clubs Car show in Columbus, Ohio. This visit resulted in the creation of the CCC, Columbus-Chicago- Connection. The members of the Chosen Few will visit Chicago on July 14<sup>th</sup> and will be our honored Guest at the CCCC Annual Picnic in August, 2007.
120. 2007, May, Club attended Annual St. Albie Spring Concert hosted and directed by member Robert Murphy
121. 2007, June, Club attended Fass Glass Corvette Clubs Car Show at Sweet Georgia Brown. Three members earned car show trophies at the event.

122. 2007, June, Club supported, contributed and participated in a Summer Bike Giveaway in Altgeld Gardens Public School for outstanding and achieving students. Donated \$500.00 toward the purchase of Forty five bikes awarded. Wal-Mart contributed an additional \$100.00.
123. 2007, June, Club invited by D.I.D. Racing to a day of Car testing at their location in Crest Hill Illinois. D.I.D. Racing dedicated their day and resources to our club.
124. 2007, June Club hosted third annual Corvette show and tell at Chicago Westside Christian School 1240 So. Pulaski Rd. Chicago, IL Contributed \$300.00 to their end of school year Picnic.
125. 2007, June, Club hosted the first semi-annual Skating Party at Rich City Skating Rink, Richton Park, Illinois. Proceeds will be applied to the 2007 CCCC scholarship fund.
126. 2007, July, 3rd Annual car show and meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 45 cars participated.
127. 2007, July, Hosted the 3rd Annual Crossroads Sports Car and Motorcycle Event at Rainbow Beach Park, 79<sup>th</sup> and Lake Michigan – 46 cars, 12 motorcycles participate
128. 2007, Aug, Club participated in 3rd Annual Apostolic Church Car show, and provided the most cars entered (22) by any participating club.
129. 2007, Aug, Held 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Picnic to honor the Community and the people that support the club. 70 Corvettes participated with a special guest visit by our sister club, Chosen Few Vette Club of Columbus, Ohio.
130. 2007, Aug, Provided Grant Memorial AME Church school back pack giveaway for 100 children. And a car show. In addition to the Pastor and officials of the church, v were greeted by the entire church membership.
131. 2007, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provided Corvettes as official transportation for the Defender Back to School parade.
132. 2007, Aug, Invited to participated in SEWCC's 34<sup>th</sup> annual car show in Kenosha, W
133. 2007, Sep, Invited to be the principle display at the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Celebrate 79<sup>th</sup> Street Festival, Loomis to Racine, in Chicago, IL.
134. 2007, Sept, Invited to lead the Chicago 8<sup>th</sup> Ward Celebration of Education Parade & Jamboree. We carried the Cook County and Chicago community leaders. Hosted I Alderman Michelle A. Harris, City of Chicago, 8<sup>th</sup> Ward.

135. 2007, Sept, Invited to participate in D.I.D. Racings open house in Crest Hill, Illinois. Largest car club to participate and sealed a sponsorship with D.I.D. Racing
136. 2007, Sept, Participated in the Annual Mid-America Corvette Show in Effingham, I
137. 2007, Sept, Participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Vettster.com car show in Villa Park, IL.
138. 2007, Oct, Held 4th Semi-Annual car show and meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 52 cars participated.
139. 2007, November, Held 9th community give back Candle Lite Bowl at Dolton Bowl, Dolton, IL. The funds raised are used to fund the three \$1000.00 annual CCCC scholarships.
140. 2007, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas. We, CCCC joined in passing out the toys to the 200 children.
141. 2008, February, Club hosted the first semi-annual Skating Party at Rich City Skati Rink, Richton Park, Illinois. Proceeds will be applied to the 2008 CCCC scholarshi fund.
142. 2008, April, Visited and participated in the ICCC Beale Street Corvette Car Show. Two members entered cars in the event.
143. 2008, April, Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash, With our total of 25 cars, we were notified that to date we are the largest Minority Corvette Club to visit Bowling Green this year.
144. 2008, May, Club visit to Chosen Few Corvette Clubs Car show in Columbus, Ohio. This visit resulted in the creation of the CCC, Columbus-Chicago- Connection. The members of the Chosen Few will visit Chicago and will be our honored Guest at the CCCC Annual Picnic in August, 2008.
145. 2008, May, Club visit to Woodfield Chevrolet for their Corvette Clinic day. Our clu was the largest group to visit and participate.
146. 2008, May Club held the first annual Exotic Car Show at Manny's Blue Room, show included car was, fashion show, and many contest and drawings.
147. 2008, June Club hosted 4th annual Corvette show and tell at Chicago Westside Christian School 1240 So. Pulaski Rd. Chicago, IL Contributed \$200.00 to their end of school year Picnic.

148. 2008, June, Club supported, contributed and participated in a Summer CD Player Giveaway in Altgeld Gardens Public School for outstanding and achieving students. Donated \$500.00 toward the purchase awards.
149. 2008, June, Club invited Sponsor, D.I.D. Racing to a day of Car testing at their location in Crest Hill Illinois. D.I.D. Racing dedicated their day and resources to our club.
150. 2008, June Club supported "Children's Day" for Chicago Public Schools at 31<sup>st</sup> Street Beach. This event will be an annual club event.
151. 2008, June Club participated with twenty-six (26) as the official transportation for the Chicago Juneteenth Parade on Chicago's Southside. Carried all parade Marshall's with half the cars and drove as Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club with club banner with the remainder
152. 2008, July, Club member Henry Lindsay, Director Charity distributed 100 Book Banners and supplies to the under privileged in Chicago Heights.
153. 2008 August, Club held the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Memorial Charity Car Show at Wal-Mart, 191<sup>st</sup> and Halsted. 170 Corvettes in attendance. Held 11th Annual Picnic to honor the Community and the people that support the club. 72 Corvettes participated with a special guest visit by our sister club, Chosen Few Vette Club of Columbus, Ohio Ron Byas, Show Chairman.
154. 2008, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provide Corvettes as official transportation for the Defender Back to School parade
155. 2008, August, Provided Grant Memorial AME Church school back pack giveaway for 100 children. And a car show. In addition to the Pastor and officials of the church, we were greeted by the entire church board members and parents
156. 2008, September, Participated in the 4<sup>th</sup> annual D.I.D. Racing Open House and Makenna Marshall benefit fund raiser open house and car show.
157. 2008, October, Club hosted the second semi-annual Skating Party at Rich City Skating Rink, Richton Park, Illinois. Proceeds will be applied to the 2008 CCCC scholarship fund.
158. 2008, November, Invited by Chicago Defender to be the official transportation for the 5th Annual Black Veterans Day Parade on Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Chicago IL.
159. 2008, December, We are listed as Founding Supporters on a Plaque hung at the Ronald McDonald House at 4410 West 93rd Street, Oak Lawn, IL 60453. CCCC \$1,200 donation to the Ronald McDonald House was honored at a reception for

**Founding Supporters and at the ribbon cutting ceremony one week later. This facility is now officially open to children and their families.**

- 160. 2008, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas. CCCC joined in passing out the toys to the 200 children. In addition, we sponsored Christmas toy and clothing giveaway in Ford Heights.**
- 161. 2008, December, Held first annual members Christmas party at the Premier Entertainment Center. The event will be scheduled each year for members and their families.**
- 162. 2009, February, Held first annual Sweethearts Steppers set at "Mr. G's" club located at 1400 W. 87<sup>th</sup> Street in Chicago. The money raised will be posted to support the charity work of the club.**
- 163. 2009, April, Held meeting at the invitation of the local owners of Corvette Mike's in Burr Ridge. At the meeting we also met with Power House performance and agreed to a sponsorship with both.**
- 164. 2009, April, Visited and participated in the ICCA Beale Street Corvette Car Show. Ten members entered cars in the event, with club member Fred Lawrence winning "Best in Class"**
- 165. 2009, April, Club visit to Bowling Green Corvette Factory and museum for C5/6 Birthday Bash, With our total of 15 cars, we were notified that to date we continue to be the largest Minority Corvette Club to visit Bowling Green each year.**
- 166. 2009, May, Club visit to Chosen Few Corvette Clubs Car show in Columbus, Ohio. This visit resulted in the creation of the CCC, Columbus-Chicago- Connection. The members of the Chosen Few will visit Chicago and will be our honored Guest at the CCCC Annual Picnic in August, 2009.**
- 167. 2009, May, Visit to new club sponsor Corvette Mike Mid-West. to finalize their sponsorship of Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club.**
- 168. 2009, May, Club participated in the Geno/NWICC annual meet and greet in Calumet Park, Illinois.**
- 169. 2009, May, Club visit to Chosen Few Corvette Clubs Car show in Columbus, Ohio. This visit resulted in the creation of the CCC, Columbus-Chicago- Connection. The members of the Chosen Few will visit Chicago and will be our honored Guest at the CCCC Annual Picnic in August, 2009.**
- 170. 2009, May, Club visit to Klasact Corvette Clubs Car show in St. Louis, MO.. This visit resulted in the creation of the CCC-Klasact-Chicago- Connection. The members**

of the Klasact will visit Chicago and will be our honored Guest at the CCCC Annual Picnic in August, 2009.

171. 2009, June, Participated in the Annual Chi-Town Sta-Bil Kruze, Down Town Chgo.
172. 2009, June, Club supported, contributed and participated in a Summer end of year program at Altgeld Gardens Public School for outstanding and achieving students. Talked to students about their future and why it is important to stay in school.
173. 2009, June Club hosted 5th annual Corvette show and tell at Chicago Westside Christian School 1240 So. Pulaski Rd. Chicago, IL Contributed \$200.00 to their end of school year Picnic, talked to the students about the importance of school.
174. 2009, June, Participated in Lake County Illinois Ceasefire Week, to get guns off the street in that county of Illinois.
175. 2009, June Club participated with fifteen (15) as the official transportation for the Chicago Juneteenth Parade on Chicago's Southside. Carried all parade Marshall's with half. the cars and drove as Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club with club banne with the remainder
176. 2009, June, Held 6th Semi-Annual car show and meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 48 cars participated. This show is for the underprivileged Children of Robbins, Illinois.
177. 2009, June, Participated in the North Shore Corvette Club Car Show in Libertyville Illinois. Two members won trophy's in their class, BJ and Fred Car Show.
178. 2009, June, Club member Henry Lindsay, Director Charity distributed 100 Book Bags and supplies to the under privileged in Chicago Heights.
179. 2009, June, Club participated in Brew City Corvette Club, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. five members won Trophy's including Fred "Car Show" Lawrence.
180. 2009, July, Held first annual Casual Friday Dance at "Mr. G's" club located at 1400 W. 87<sup>th</sup> Street in Chicago. The money raised will be posted to support the charity work of the club.
181. 2009, July, Participated in the 1st annual Great Lakes Naval Base Veterans Medical Center Car Show for the Wounded Military Veterans.
182. 2009, July, Sponsor Safe and Sound, owned by member Steve Davis held his 2nd Annual Chicago Crossroads Day at the beach. Steve & Derrick provided food and soft drinks to CCCC and our guest.

183. 2009, Aug, Held 12th Annual Picnic to honor the Community and the people that support the club. 80 Corvettes participated with a special guest visit by our sister club, Chosen Few Corvette Club of Columbus, Ohio.
184. 2009, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provided Corvettes as official transportation for the Defender Back to School parade. We provided a total of 26 cars, largest single transportation participant.
185. 2009, August, Participated in the Northwest Indiana Corvette Clubs annual car show in Muncie, Indiana. Entered a total of 17 cars in the event and won five trophies.
186. 2009, August, BJ & MaryAnn hosted the first Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club meeting In Wisconsin.
187. 2009 September, Club held the 2nd Annual Memorial Charity Car Show at Marshfield Plaza, located at 119th and I57 in Chicago. This was a last minute move due to Wal-Mart cancelling our date at their site. Great turnout 70 Cars and Motorcycles in attendance.
188. 2009, September, club voted to attended the Black Sunday Drag Racing in St. Louis and 12 members attended and made contact with other clubs.
189. 2009, September, Invited to lead the Chicago 8<sup>th</sup> Ward Celebration of Education Parade & Jamboree. We carried the Cook County and Chicago elected leaders. Hosted by Alderman Michelle A. Harris, City of Chicago, 8<sup>th</sup> Ward.
190. 2009, September, Invited to the 2nd Annual Crown Point Corvette Club Corvette Challenge at US41 Drag Strip in Indiana. Although we participated in 2008, we didn't win due to low participation. In 2009, we formed the Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club Rat Pack Race Team and with full team participation we won the challenge and took home the traveling trophy for 2009/2010.
191. 2009, September, Teamed with new National Sponsor Corvette Mike, Midwest of Burr Ridge, IL to host the first annual Meet and Great for members and guest.
192. 2009, November, Invited by Chicago Defender to be the official transportation for the 6th Annual Black Veterans Day Parade on Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Chicago IL.
193. 2009, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas. CCCC joine in passing out the toys to the 300 children. In addition, we sponsored Christmas toy and clothing giveaway in Ford Heights.

194. 2009, December, Held 2nd annual members Christmas party at Mr. G's Supper Club & Entertainment Center. The event will be scheduled each year as a reward to members and their families.
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196. 2010, February, Held Second Annual Sweethearts Steppers set at "Mr. G's" club located at 1400 W. 87<sup>th</sup> Street in Chicago. The money raised will be posted to support the charity work of the club
197. 2010, April, Visited and participated in the ICCA Beale Street Corvette Car Show. Ten members entered cars in the event, with club member Fred Lawrence winning "Best in Class"
198. 2010, April, Club visit to Chosen Few Corvette Clubs Car show in Columbus, Ohio. This visit resulted in the creation of the Columbus-Chicago- Connection. The members of the Chosen Few will visit Chicago and will be our honored Guest at the ICCA Annual Picnic in August, 2010.
199. 2010, May, Club held it's 1st Annual Apple Chevrolet Meet & Greet. Apple Chevrolet of Tinley Park is a Sponsor of Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club. A total of 68 cars from various Corvette Clubs and visitors were present.
200. 2010, June, Club invited to participate in the Grand Opening of the Marshfield Plaza Shopping Center, located at 119 S. Marshfield in Chicago. The Mayor of Chicago cut the ribbon to open the site.
201. 2010, June, Club supported, contributed and participated in the end of school year Honors program at Aldridge Public School in Altgeld Gardens, Chicago for outstanding and achieving students. The club brought ten cars and talked to the students about staying in school. Club also donated \$500.00 toward the purchase awards.
202. 2010, June, Held 7th Semi-Annual Corvette car meet at Manny's Blue Room, Robbins, IL, 41 cars participated. This car meet is to support our oldest sponsor.
203. 2010, June, Participated in the North Shore Corvette Club Car Show in Libertyville Illinois. Twenty four (24) members went and 9 members won trophy's in their class and North Shore committed to participate in our show scheduled for July 24, 2010.
204. 2010, July, Participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Ride for Breast Cancer Awareness, Chicago to Joliet, Illinois
205. 2010, July, , Club held the 3rd Annual Memorial Charity Car Show at Dolton Bowl located at 147<sup>th</sup> & Michigan City Road, Dolton, Illinois. Due to the worst summer storm in Chicago history, participation was low, 31 cars in attendance. Honored guest, Chosen Few Corvette Club of Columbus, Ohio.

206. 2010, Aug, Held 13th Annual Picnic to honor the Community and the people that support the club. 82 Corvettes participated with a special guest visit by our sister club, Chosen Few Corvette Club of Columbus, Ohio.
207. 2010, August, Invited by the Chicago Defender Charities to provided Corvettes as official transportation for the Defender Back to School Parade. We provided a total of 28 cars, largest single transportation participant.
208. 2010, August, Henry Lindsay led the Chicago Heights Book Bag Giveaway for Chicago Crossroads in Chicago Heights, IL
209. 2010, August, Participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Knight Riders St. Louis Arch Riverfront Corvette Car Show in downtown St Louis, MO.
210. 2010, September, Invited to lead the Chicago 8<sup>th</sup> Ward Celebration of Education Parade & Jamboree. We carried the Cook County and Chicago elected leaders. Hosted by Alderman Michelle A. Harris, City of Chicago, 8<sup>th</sup> Ward.
211. 2010, September, Invited to participate in the Chicago Orr High School Homecoming Parade and Half Time parade for the King & Queen. CCCC provided 21 cars for the event and received a thanks from the Orr High School Staff and the King/Queen and their court.
212. 2010, October, Invited to the 3rd Annual Crown Point Corvette Club Corvette Challenge at US41 Drag Strip in Indiana. Although we participated in 2008, we didn't win due to low participation. In 2009, we formed the Chicago Crossroads Corvette Club Rat Pack Race Team and with full team participation we won the challenge and took home the traveling trophy for 2009/2010. In 2010, we repeated as winners and retained the traveling trophy for 2010/2011.
213. 2010, , November, Invited by Chicago Defender Charities to be the official transportation for the 7th Annual Black Veterans Day Parade on Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Chicago, IL.
214. 2010, November, Club organized a coat drive for Chicago's Kenwood Nursing Home. Held a Corvette Caravan to the home to deliver the coats.
215. 2010, December, Teamed with Robert Abbott Elks Lodge, donating \$500.00 to provide toys for the needy children of Chicago Heights for Christmas. CCCC joined in passing out the toys to the 300 children. In addition, we sponsored Winter clothing giveaway in Ford Heights, led by Charity Director, Henry Lindsay.
216. 2009, December, Held 3rd annual members Christmas party at Mr. G's Supper Club & Entertainment Center. The event is scheduled each year as a reward to members and their families.

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