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The business meeting on Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup> at Fire Mountain had 39 in attendance to schedule the 2012 events through May.



Newsletter editors Tom and Susie Miller.

<http://jalopnik.com/5858683/exclusive-this-is-the-2014-chevy-corvette>

Click on this link to view the seventh-generation Corvette — or [C7 Corvette](#) for 2014.



### Upcoming events:

Jan. 21 Barn Dinner Theater - Greensboro

Feb. 11 Valentine's Party

Mar. 3 Coffee and Donuts Empire 10 – 12:00

Mar. 6 Business Meeting (Alexander - PJ's)

Mar. 15-18 Run to the Sun Myrtle Beach

Mar. 23-25 Corvette Expo Sevierville TN

Mar. 31 Monthly ride Shirley and Howard Myers

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Our Vice-President Bill Reavis and wife Rachel.



Our secretary Shirley Myers and Howard are color coordinated to match their corvette.

<http://abcnews.go.com/Archives/video/chevy-commercial-1953-corvette-14869275>

This link will take you to a commercial on the 1953 corvette that was recently seen on ABC News.



# Foothills Crossed Flags

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## ***Christmas Party at the Richey's***



Our Christmas party was held at the home of Matthew and Libby Richey. The steaks were melt in your mouth perfect along with the homemade desserts Libby prepared.

After dinner everyone braved the cold and enjoyed the tour of Bethlehem.

Kendall presented Matthew a plaque with appreciation for serving as vice president. He introduced the new officers for 2012 and is working on a date for the Valentine's party in February.

The party ended with door prizes of Adam's Car Care products provided by new members Richard & Betsy Kashinsky. Libby also prepared gift bags with homemade bread and jellies for everyone who attended.

## ***Meet our officers for 2012***

**President: Kendall Hendrix**

**Vice-President: Bill Reavis**

**Secretary: Shirley Myers**

**Treasure: Dale Hoffman**

**Membership: Edie Stader**



***President Kendall Hendrix and Wife Derry.***



***Membership: Edie Stader and Husband Joe.***



***Joe and Edie received the award for best attendance for 2011.***



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Business meetings are held in January, March, May, July, September, and November at a designated time and place announced in this newsletter.

Rides or social events take place on the third weekend of each month except in cases of holidays or inclement weather. The fourth Sunday is the option on those occasions.

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**2012 Officers**

President	Kendall Hendrix	336.927-2071
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**Remember These...**

Dale Hoffman  
 Edward Allen death of his mother  
 Carolyn Simmons death of her brother  
 Tom McNeil & Shirley Myers death of their sister  
 Dawn Dillard – surgery on her leg  
 Betty Lovelett  
 Bobby Wilson  
 Harold Mecimore

***Tom's Corvette Tips:***

Standard rubber full size coolant hoses should be used to ensure maximum flow. Smaller-than-stock braided-steel AN hoses decrease flow and as a result, can hinder proper cooling.

A quick way to check a charging system is with a voltmeter. For a 12 – volt system, it should read 12 volts with the engine off and 13 – 14 volts with the engine running.

In the near future a Pig Pickin' ☺



***January Celebrations***

**Birthdays**

Dick Angell	5	Richard Kashinsky	25
Gordon Vickers	6	Rick Zachary	26
Alex Garcia	11		

**Anniversaries**

Joe and Edie Stader 8

**December Financial Report**

**BEGINNING TOTAL BALANCE \$803.13**

**RECEIPTS**

New Dues & Badges \$614.00

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Hendrix Trophies \$85.60  
 4 Badges \$29.50

**Total Carried Over To Jan. \$2,729.03**

*Dale Hoffman, treasurer*



Treasure: Dale Hoffman and wife Bernie.

**Ladies this is for you ☺**

### White Chocolate Party Mix

From Taste of Home

- 16 cups *popped popcorn*
- 3 cups *Frosted Cheerios*
- 1-1/2 cups *pecan halves*
- 1 package (14 ounces) *milk chocolate M&M's*
- 1 package (10 ounces) *fat-free pretzel sticks*
- 1 package *English toffee bits (10 ounces) or almond brickle bits (7-1/2 ounces)*
- 2 packages (10 to 12 ounces each) *vanilla or white chips*
- 2 tablespoons *vegetable oil*

In a large bowl, combine the first six ingredients. In a microwave or heavy saucepan, melt chips and oil; stir until smooth. Pour over popcorn mixture and toss to coat. Immediately spread onto two baking sheets; let stand until dry, about 2 hours. Store in an airtight container. **Yield:** 9-1/2 quarts.



### Candy Recipe

From the kitchen of Libby Richey

- 2 lbs almond bark or white chocolate
- 2 cups rice krispies cereal
- 2 cups Capt. Crunch cereal
- 2 cups mini marshmallows ( I use M&M's or baking chips)

Melt bark slowly, it's best in a double boiler. Mix cereals together and slowly pour bark over cereal while stirring. You may need to add more cereal. Add candies and pour onto wax paper, spread out and when it is dry cut into bite size pieces.

### Cinnamon Buns

From Family Circle Magazine

- 1 cup packed dark brown sugar
- 1 cup raisins coarsely chopped
- 1/4 cup (1/2) stick unsalted butter, melted
- 1 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon
- 2 frozen bread doughs (1 pound each) thawed

In a medium bowl, combine sugar, raisins, melted butter and cinnamon. Stir until evenly blended.

Coat a 13x9x2 baking pan with non-stick spray. Roll 1 thawed dough to 10x13 inch rectangle on a lightly floured surface. Spread with 1/2 of the sugar mixture, leaving 1/2 inch border. Roll up from the long side and pinch seam shut. Cut into 8 pieces, place cut side down into pan. Repeat with remaining dough and sugar mixture.

Coat a sheet of plastic wrap with non-stick spray and cover dough. Let rise in a warm place for 45 min. Heat oven to 350 degrees, uncover rolls and bake for 30 min. or until golden. Cool 5 min. then invert on platter. Serve slightly warm.



### Gillian's Baked Mushrooms

From the kitchen of Susie Miller

- 1 pound fresh button mushrooms (about 36)
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 Tablespoon chopped fresh Parsley (optional)
- 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- Cooking oil spray
- Preheat oven to 400 degrees

Remove and discard mushroom stems and wash the caps.

Mix mayo, Parmesan cheese and garlic powder. Spray 9x13 inch glass baking dish and place mushrooms in the dish fill individual caps with mixture.

Bake uncovered 8 to 10 minutes until filling begins to brown and mushrooms are tender. Serve at once.