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# CLUB INFORMATION

**CORVETTE CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA Inc.**  
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## SISTER CLUBS

CORVETTES WEST  
Southern California USA

LONE STAR CORVETTE CLUB  
Texas USA

**MEETINGS** - Held on the first Wednesday of eve-



ry month at the Seaton

Ramblers Football Club  
Parade, Seaton at 8pm

South Pa-

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## MEMBERSHIP FEES

due by 1st January each year	NEW	RENEWAL
Financial Member	\$85.00	\$80.00
Associate Member	\$20.00	\$20.00
Country Member	\$40.00	\$40.00

## BANK DETAILS

 for Direct Debit

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**CLUB REGO** Inspections are no longer required. However, if you need a new Log Book, they are \$10 each.

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# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hi All

Our **June meeting will be the last at Seaton Ramblers** and I would like to thank Sami who opens the clubrooms and is our bar hostess, and in that process has become a valued part of our meetings.

**Our new venue from July will be the Glenelg Baseball Club, and you will find more information in this newsletter.**

We will be sending out emails and messages on facebook frequently about the change so hopefully no one (Tom let us know if you have the message) turns up at our current venue in July.

We will be continuing with the Eventbrite Registration process as it helps at the door and everyone does not have to line up for as long, you can still register at the door but for recording who is at the meeting Eventbrite cuts the workload.

Just a reminder to all who participate in our runs, make sure **your tank is full of fuel** – we wont be stopping while you fill up – and if the **departure time** is 9.30 am that's what it is – if you get there at 9.32 you may be lucky to see the tail lights of the last car – our runs are planned from the departure time to the stop times and lunch venues – these have all been booked and quite often extra staff just for us have been employed, plus we have to have the paperwork filled out before you start, this is for our insurance (in case we get set upon in the carpark by a herd of marauding elephants and someone breaks a nail) – come and enjoy the run.

Speaking of runs John and Jennys run to Lake Breeze Winery was exceptional, the winery was a magnificent setting and the food could not be faulted, thanks for a great day.

Have a look at the events calendar and if you want to do a run or dinner and need a bit of help just contact Sean (sometimes he needs the help – he got Kirsty to build the engine in their hill climb corvette )

We will be having a late mid year dinner stay tuned.

That's all from me stay warm and stay dry and leave the Vette in the shed.

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# NEW GENERAL MEETING VENUE

Due to renovations at the Seaton Ramblers, we are on the move. After countless hours of research, the committee are proud to announce the new General Meeting venue will be....

## GLENELG BASEBALL CLUB

Anderson Avenue, GLENELG NORTH

6th July 2022

*We are*  
**MOVING**

May & June Meetings will remain at the Seaton Ramblers.

To view the Glenelg Baseball Club Room this is the link: <http://www.glenelgbaseballclub.com.au/venue-hire/>



**Heading South** along Tapley's Hill Rd, past the Airport, cross the Sturt River take the first street on the right over the bridge;-

**Heading North** along Tapley's Hill Road, take the last street on the left before the Sturt River Bridge;-

To **Anderson Avenue, Glenelg North** - car park entrance to Anderson Reserve 200 m on the right.

# CORVETTE CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC –

## GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

**General Meeting:** 4/5/22 **Meeting Opened:** 8:05 pm

**Present:** As per registration sheet through EventBrite

**Apologies:** Judy Beyer, Ruth & Stuart, Dave Schrapel, Kathy & Larry, Craig Hauser, Kevin J, AJ, Helen, Karen McC, Greg Woods, Cathy McPhee

**Visitor and New members:** Sean: Red '59, Ray: Black '89 C4, Gus, Scott from Lyndoch

**Minutes of Last General Meeting read true and correct.**

Moved: - Brian Seconded:-Peter

### Treasurer's Report for General Meeting 4/5/22

	1st April	
Balance at: 2022	\$	24,920.30
Income	\$	691.85
Expenditure	\$	689.40
	30th April	
Closing Balance: 2022	\$	24,922.75

Membership Draw Prize for 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2022 General Meeting	\$	20.00
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Moved: - Jemma Seconded: - Ian

**Secretary's Report:** QCC Vetteletter received & emailed to all members. Jemma's Bank SA token received in the post.

**Conditional Registration:** No cars added this month. Oct, Nov, Dec will come around quickly. Members need to plan for their end of year logbook signing. Especially those who work interstate or O/S. Gary suggested putting a reminder in your phones.

**Membership:** 1 new member added

Full members 206 Associates 77 **Total 283**

**Merchandise:** Full Merchandise Catalogue is available on the website along with May 2022 specials. There are new additions & regular items. Orders are placed monthly, 5pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month. Orders are usually available for the next meeting. Some items take longer.

**Newsletter:** Adrian said he is always happy to receive items to include in the Newsletter.

### Events:

Past: Easter LWE in Pt Pirie. Had a great time. Met up with some locals who took us to places we didn't know about. At Gladstone, the cleaners opened the Canon enclosure so we could have a closer look. The Pirie RSL is home to the last Huey to fly out of Vietnam. We also found out who were the best tossers. (Had to throw horseshoes towards a ring).

Future: 2023 Nationals will be held in March.

15/5: John & Jenny's run to Lake Breeze. Need final numbers by 6/5. Will book table for coffee at Little Hampton.

20/5: Organiser required

June LWE Glampfest. Fully booked

20/6: Organiser required

July Run: Organiser required

Oct LWE: Fully booked but have a standby list. Contact McBrides 0408 085 566

Meet the Vics: TBA possibly Sept in Mt Gambier

**Web Master:** May Newsletter, Car of the Month, May Merchandise, New Committee Members, Pt Pirie photos have been added

**Public Officer:** Nothing to Report

**General Business:** June meeting will be the last one at Seaton Ramblers. After extensive research, Committee members created a short list of premises to make their final choice. Many venues have dual clubs in control of their operation. Some venues share the available space. Committee chose the Glenelg Baseball Club. We will have full use of the kitchen, no-one else would have access to the room during our meetings. Parking is good, off the street & within view of the front door. From July we will meet at the new premises.

**Catherine:** Event Survey:- Had 22 responses. Majority are in favour of going to a hotel for either a Mid-Year Dinner or Xmas Show. Maybe do a Mid-Year dinner at Cruising Yacht Club.

**Maelyn:** Lucky envelope next month

**Membership Draw:** Richard Hilton 98; not present.

**Raffle prize winners:** Tony BeerSmith, John R, Rudy, Banjo, Adrian, Kevin Nagel

**Lucky Door Prize:** Sean, Tony BeerSmith

**Supper:**

**Meeting Closed:** 8:45 pm



# Birthdays In April

Ryan Grigg  
Geoff Brown  
Roger Slee  
Pasquale Barresi  
Stephen Bryers  
Graham Hay  
Brian Evans  
Simon Clarke



*Apologies If you have been missed, Club records may not have your Birthday*

## Two Feet and a Heart Beat Walk 2022

Our nominated charity, Heart Kids, will be running their annual fundraiser,

Two Feet and a Heart Beat Walk on Sunday October 16 2022.

Its easy. Turn up, have some breakfast, then go for a leisurely walk from West Bch to Henley Bch and back. Its flat and on footpaths.

The entrance fee is your donation.

More details to come.



## *Lake Breeze Winery cruise 15<sup>th</sup> May*

A cool 14 to 17 degree autumnal day for a Corvette cruise with a high forecasted chance of rain particularly in the Adelaide hills. Not so desirable however the weather so far through the month has been very pleasant on the whole but did not put any of those off who had put their names down to attend.

This situation did deter a certain owner of a burgundy C3 from getting his Corvette out of the shed but it was great to have their company. A second Corvette preferred to stay in the comfort of the garage and decided not to start so an alternative ride was used.

The first meeting spot was the Craft Coffee Café at the Home Centre at Mile End where the townies met and left around 10.45 am up Greenhill Rd for the hills proceeding through Burnside, Summertown, Uraidla and Balhannah to meet the Country folk at the Artisan Oak Café in Little Hampton which had the fire and great coffee waiting for us. It is a fabulous time of the year to drive the Adelaide Hills to see the autumn colours.



It was here the clashing of dedication to use your Corvette under such weather forecasted conditions or not was evident with one silver C3 owner using their Corvette, which had never been out on such a day, and another, I won't go on, but mentioned earlier.

The trip to Langhorne Creek commenced around 11.45 cruising along the old Princes Highway through Nairne, Kanmantoo, Callington and Woodchester along very well suited Corvette friendly roads arriving at Lake Breeze Winery in time for our scheduled lunch at 1.00pm.

We must compliment the winery staff for looking after us so well in having us as a group in their Stone Room exclusively with great service on a day when they were so busy with visitors wanting to be in such pleasant surroundings.



## Lake Breeze Winery cruise 15<sup>th</sup> May



Jenny and I stumbled across Lake Breeze when we were looking for lunch venues early in the investigation period of venues for our schedules 2020 Corvette Nationals however their facilities then were much smaller.

Since then however they have expanded to now have large function facilities which are very impressive.

The weather on the day, in the main, turned out to be much brighter than predicted but there were a few passing showers as we were ready to head for home which confirmed for the leave at home owner it was the right decision!

We trust everyone who attended enjoyed their day and Jenny and I extend our thanks to you all.

# Classifieds

The following items for sale fit C3

Rocker panel upper moulding, aluminium w/black set left & right (good conditions)

Rocker panel lower moulding, PM fiberglass, dark gray as original.

Heater box & motor

Parking brake console, w/power windows. (Good condition)

Oil dipstick guide tube & Oil dipstick chrome

contact Graham 0417413136 to look and make an offers,

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# Club Merchandise

May 2022 Merchandise Offer: Mugs, Beanies and Long Sleeve Tee



## Special Offer:

**Mugs - \$15 ea or 2 for \$24**  
**330ml Boston Ceramic Mug**  
Matte Black Ceramic Coated,  
Red Interior

## Acrylic Beanie - \$15

Acrylic Yarn. 70gm weight.  
21.5cm H x 20cm W. 8cm Roll-Up  
Available in Black



## Long sleeve Tee \$40

### JB Wear – 1LS (Unisex)

100% Cotton, 190 gsm ring spun  
Jersey knit fabric, Ribbed sleeve  
cuffs. Twin needle double  
stitched seams Classic fit.

### Sizes:

Adult 2XS to 6/7XL

**Colours:** Black, Red, Charcoal,  
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Contact the Merchandise Officer for a full range of stock available:

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## 2022 CCSA Calendar

### JUNE

- 1/6 Club meeting
- 10/6 Glampfest '22 – June long weekend Barossa, fully booked – Sean & Kirsty organising. FULL
- 17/6 Club Dinner – Flagstaff Hotel Friday night, Peter & Lynda 0408085566

### JULY

- 6/7 Club meeting
- 10/7 Club run - TBA
- 15/7 Club dinner – TBA possible mid year show

### AUGUST

- 3/8 Club meeting
- 21/8 Club run to Collingrove hillclimb, cruise the track at lunch, see Sean, Kirsty, Bob racing, Peter & Lynda will cruise captain. Details of meeting point tba.
- 30/9 October long weekend Naracoorte – Pete & Lynda (fully booked)

**Please let the Committee know if you have a suggestion for a Dinner or Run. It would be great to have new Cruise Captains & Dinner organisers. This way you can help us keep the club social calendar alive & you get to share your favourite places with friends"**

Sean



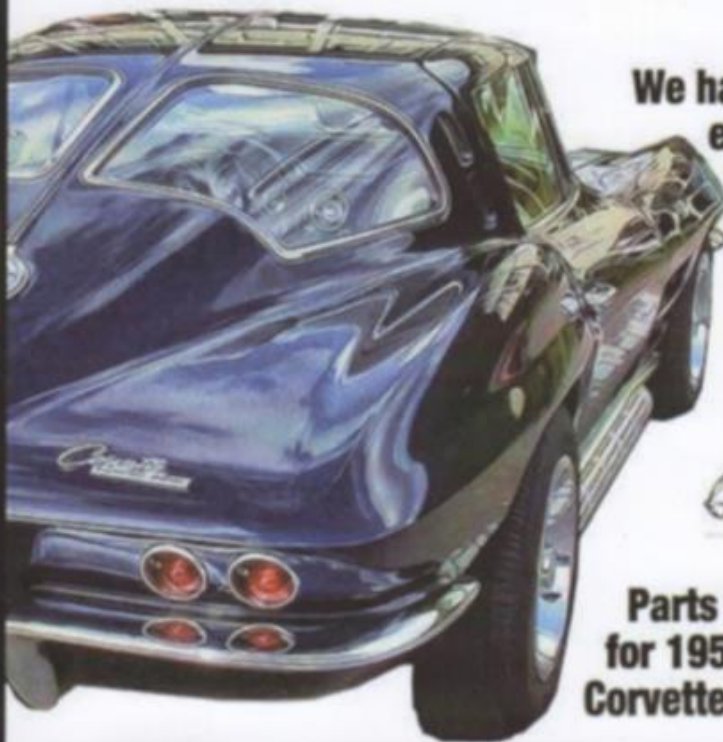
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