

## ***Fellow Beachcombers,***

### **BCC EVENT NEWS**

October was a busy month with a variety of events for our members. So here is a brief recap: Finally, the weather cooperated on October 6<sup>th</sup> for the last *Beachcombers* Cruise-In at Landstown drawing 129 cars and raising an additional \$395 for Seaton House. On October 10<sup>th</sup>, 40 *Beachcombers* attended the Hendrick Chevrolet Norfolk Corvette Open House where General Manager Wes McCullar reintroduced local Corvette enthusiasts to the dealership's sales, service and parts department capabilities and their commitment to the Corvette community. Very informative. Ten *Beachcomber* families attended the Corvettes at Ocean City Weekend on October 12-14 along with >700 Corvettes from 86 different Corvette Clubs and 21 states. A highlight was watching 556 Corvettes cruise down the boardwalk - great fun. And wrapping up the month was our 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Car Show on October 27<sup>th</sup> where 39 *Beachcombers* braved the chill to show off their cars and support our Club and the Food Bank. Thanks to those members and especially to the Car Show Committee for their work. Additional details about the show will be available at the November Business Meeting.

### **UPCOMING BEACHCOMBERS EVENTS**

**Tuesday, November 06 - Beachcombers Monthly Business Meeting** - 7:00PM @ Meyera E. Oberndorf Central Library, Virginia Beach. Meeting will be followed by our regular visit to Reginello's at Loehmanns Plaza.

**Monday, November 12 – Tidewater Veterans Day Parade** – (Joe Wryk Event Lead) - *Beachcombers* will again participate in this annual Virginia Beach Parade up Atlantic Ave. Final times and meeting place will be announced next week. A Sign-Up Sheet will be available at the November Business Meeting or by contacting Joe Wryk at [joewryk@aol.com](mailto:joewryk@aol.com).

**Thursday, November 15 – *\*Note the Change\** - Beachcombers Breakfast** – 8:30AM at **Anchor Allie's**, 357 Independence Blvd. Open to all, but please RSVP to Jake Or-Bach at [jacob.orbach@gmail.com](mailto:jacob.orbach@gmail.com) or RSVP to the Facebook event.

**Sunday, November 18 – Foodbank's Mayflower Marathon Food Drive** – (Preston Powers Event Lead) – *Beachcombers* will again support this annual food drive for the Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia. We have historically had a large contingent of Corvettes to “close-out” the weekend marathon at Pembroke Mall and hope to again get our members to participate. Meet at 2:00PM at the parking lot behind the old Pembroke Sears Store on Jeanne Drive with non-perishable food. Donations will also be collected to be presented to the Food Bank. A trip to Mission BBQ will follow. A Sign-Up Sheet will be available at the November Business Meeting or just show up.

**Wednesday, November 21 - Beachcombers Board Meeting** – 7:00PM at Pop's Diner, 1432 Greenbrier Parkway, Chesapeake. All Members are welcome to attend.

**Friday, November 30 – Holiday Laps at Virginia International Raceway (VIR)** – (John Kummers Event Lead) – Here is your chance to exercise your car on the VIR full-course in a non-competitive environment. Ask any member who has made this day trip to Danville about the opportunity to “get your foot into it”. Great fun. Meet at the Greenbrier Sears parking lot at

5:45AM to caravan out Route 58 to VIR. Additional information about the track and the event can be found at [virnow.com](http://virnow.com). A Sign-Up Sheet will be available at the November Business Meeting or by contacting John Kummings at [captj7@aol.com](mailto:captj7@aol.com).

## **LOOKING AHEAD TO DECEMBER BCC EVENTS**

**December 04 - Beachcombers Monthly Business Meeting** - 7:00PM @ Meyera E. Oberndorf Central Library, Virginia Beach.

**December 08 – Beachcombers Christmas Party** – *Beachcombers* will again hold our Annual Christmas Party at the Norfolk Airport Doubletree Hotel, 1500 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, from 6-11PM. Cost is \$25 per BCC Member and \$25 for one guest. \$65 for non-members. Dinner and dessert buffet, photo booth, door prizes and gift swap. Not to mention some good *Beachcombers* socializing. Reservations/Payment can be made beginning at the November Business Meeting or by mailing your check to Beachcombers Corvette Club, P.O. Box 6721, Virginia Beach, VA 23456. The hotel has offered discounted *Beachcombers* room rates of \$69.00. Phone # 757-466-8000.

**December 19 - Beachcombers Board Meeting** – 7:00PM at Pop's Diner, 1432 Greenbrier Parkway, Chesapeake. All Members are welcome to attend.

## **ADVANCE PLANNING**

**2019 Corvette Caravan** – Registration is now open for the 2019 National Corvette Caravan scheduled for August 28 – September 1, 2019. This event only occurs every five years with thousands of Corvettes from across the country converging on Bowling Green. Information about the Regional Caravan for our area can be found at [www.corvettecaravan.com/va-nc-sc/](http://www.corvettecaravan.com/va-nc-sc/).

## **OTHER LOCAL EVENTS**

- Information and schedules for other area events can be found on Web Sites for the Car Club Council of Hampton Roads (CCCHR) [www.carclubcouncil.info/](http://www.carclubcouncil.info/) and the Virginia Peninsula Car Club Council (VPCCC) [www.vpccc.org](http://www.vpccc.org).