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Valley Times

The purpose of this social club is to promote the fellowship of Corvette enthusiasts

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Valley Vettes Meetings

The Valley Vettes meet on the second Thursday of every month at 7:30 P.M.

Board Meetings

Meetings are held on the 1st Thursday of every month at 7:00 P.M.

Thinking about becoming a member?

Contact one of our Club

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Next Club Events

June 4	Wisconsin Cheese Festival
June 5	Trip Around the Lake
June 9	Valley Vettes Club Mtg – Sidelines Sports Pub & Grill
June 11	Appleton Flag Day Parade
June 24	Trip to Bloomington Gold
July 9	Vettes for Vettes
July 14	Valley Vettes Club Meeting – Plamann Park Appleton
July 23-24	Renaissance Fair – Kenosha
August 11	Valley Vettes Club Meeting – Lion's Park Greenville
August 13-14	Berlin Car Show
August 18	Jorn's Customer Appreciation Day

Valley Vettes Golfers

If you are interested in joining, contact Rick or any of our players: Marty Garofalo, Greg Tate, Tom Vargo, Randy Hutchinson, Herb Grube, Pat Murray or Gary Brandt.

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Club Events

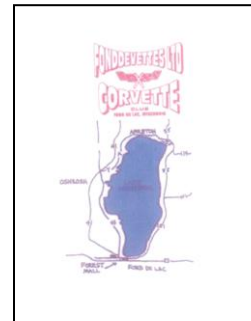
June 4 – Saturday Wisconsin Cheese Festival

Parade starts at 10:30 AM . Meet at the Piggly Wiggly store parking lot on Wisconsin Ave in Little Chute at 9:45 AM We will eave from there to get to our lineup spot. Please confirm you will meet us so we don't wait for someone that is not going to meet us. All cars must be lined up by 10:10 AM on Wisconsin Ave in Little Chute. We are unit number 47 in the parade with a total of 6 cars. Please fly your Valley Vette and US flags if you have them during the parade. And for those of us that have Classic cars, they can be included as long as I know how long they are. I need to tell them how many linear feet we need to line up the cars curbside during line up. We will be in the parade two cars side by side.

Bands Saturday will be Straight Chuters, Nashville Pipeline, and Vic Ferrar
Host: Joe Quaintance

June 5 – Trip Around the Lake

Hosts: Gary & Val Sieg and Dan & Patti Parker. Meet at Kohl's in Neenah at 7:15 AM sharp. Gathering at Waverly Beach at 10:00 AM, then back to Fond du Lac for food and live music.



June 9 - Valley Vettes Club Meeting Sidelines Sports Pub & Grille

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June 11 - Appleton Flag Day Parade

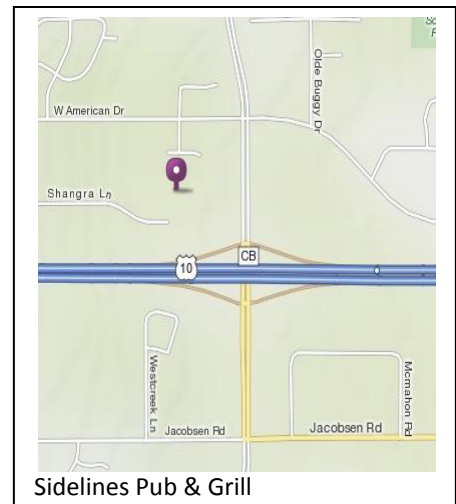
Our limit is 8 cars. Meet at the Thompson Center on College Ave, across from Frank's Pizza Palace, before 1:15 PM. We are in position 88 of the parade.
 Hosts: Carol & Dick Rank 733-2708

June 24, Friday – Trip to Bloomington Gold

Rooms available at Country Inn & Suites in St. Charles, IL. Plan to leave the old WAVE parking lot by 8:00 AM.
 Hosts: Dale & Carrie Skovera

July 9 – Saturday Vettes for Vettes

Meet at Simon's Cheese at 11:00 AM
www.PearlyGatesRide.com
 Host: Gary Brandt



Sidelines Pub & Grill



July 14 – Valley Vettes Club Mtg

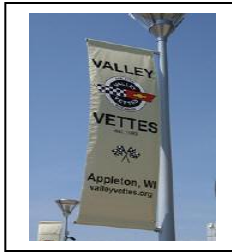
Plamann Park, Appleton.

Bring Dish/Dessert to pass plus utensils & place settings. Club provides meet & beverages

Social 5:00 PM

Picnic 6:00 PM

Meeting 7:00 PM



July 23–24 Renaissance Fair, Kenosha, WI

Go to the Web site: www.renfair.com to order tickets at half price.

We will be staying at the Best Western in Kenosha. Call 262-857-7699 for reservations. No more ½ price tickets on line but there is a discount. To save time, please purchase your tickets ahead of time. We will leave early Saturday morning and stop for a fast breakfast to get to the fair by 10:00 to get the best parking. We may be able to get special parking but there may be an extra charge. Numbers are in the newsletter and web site. We have late check in so we won't have to go the hotel until after the fair.

Leave Saturday, cruise to breakfast.

Make your reservations.

Hosts: Jim & Penny Much and

Val & Gary Sieg.



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July 30-31 - Copper Harbor Overnight Cruise

Hosts: Gary & Jean Brandt and Dale & Carrie Skovera
More information to follow.

August 11 – Valley Vettes Club Meeting – Lion’s Park, Greenville

Bring Dish/Dessert to pass, utensils & place settings as before.
Social 5:00 PM, Picnic 6:00 PM, Meeting 7:00 PM

August 13-14 Berlin Car Show

Evening Cruise on Aug 13 leaving Riverside Park through Countryside
Car Show Sunday, Registration begins 8:00 PM – Noon. Trophies
Awarded beginning at 2:30 PM. All cars welcome
Host: Joe & Alice Quaintance



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August 17 – Woodward Dream Cruise

All lodging booked. Leaving Wed. morning, driving direct.
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August 18 – Thursday: Jorn’s Customer Appreciation Day

Corn Roast and Brat Fry from 11:00 am – 9:00 PM
Host: Steve & Sandy Bender

August 20 – Shiocton Fireman’s Parade & Festival

Parade on Main St. at Noon, live music, games,
Prizes, good food and free Sweet Corn
More information to follow.

Hosts: Greg & Judy Tate (parade)

Jim & Penny Much (cruise & dinner)

August 27 – Powder Puff Cruise

Date changed due to unusual circumstances at Destination.
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Past Events

Spring Kickoff Cruise – Saturday, May 14th

Thirteen (13) Vettes left Appleton North High School in a light drizzle to start the Spring Kickoff Cruise. We passed thru Stephenville - Hortonville - Fremont - up along the Wolf river and meandered our way around Lake Poygan - thru Tustin - Poy Sippi - Borth - Winneconne and ended up in the village of Butte des Morts at the White House Inn. Good friendship, great food, and awesome desserts!! Thanks again for making the ride in less than ideal conditions.

Phil and Donna



Spring Vintage Weekend & Road America Tour

Valley Vettes was represented by Joe Quaintance and Bob Driessen at the breakfast at North Shore Country Club. We had a nice breakfast and speaker. Valley Vettes was recognized as one of the sponsors.

After the speaker was done we all travelled to 0 to 60 Garage for some social time and car gazing. The Tour to Road America left at 10:15 AM with Joe from Valley Vettes. Bob had other pressing business to take care of.

The group traveled to Road America in a nice caravan and arrived at 11:50 AM with the track tour scheduled at noon. The tour started around 12:10 and we had about 40 cars on the track. Usual rules, no passing the pace car and no passing. I never saw the pace car and during the second lap I was passed by a Grey Z06 driven by a local wealthy man. Since I am a follower I decided to start passing as well. My son Marc was with me during the whole trip in his BMW and on the track with some great driving skills, managed to keep up to me most of the time or catch up as needed. 😊

This was a fun ride and we behaved most of the time 😊

Joe Quaintance



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2011	COUPE GS	AUTO 6SP	0	SUPRSONIC BLUE	TITANIUM/EBONY	\$69,720	KB0149	IN
2011	CONVT GS	AUTO 6SP	0	CRYST.RED	CASHMERE/EBONY	\$75,225	KB0127	MIDWEST
<u>PRE-OWNED</u>								
2010	COUPE	AUTO 6SP	4,683	TORCH RED	EBONY	\$45,995	KB0126A	\$44,995
2009	Z06	6 SP MAN	2,556	BLACK	BLACK/RED	\$59,995	KB0183A	\$58,995
2008	COUPE	AUTO 6SP	11,034	JETSTRM BLUE	EBONY	\$39,995	KB0122A	\$38,995
2007	COUPE	AUTO 6SP	38,000	VICTORY RED	EBONY	\$35,995	INCOMING	\$34,995
2007	CONVERT	AUTO 6SP	25,933	VICTORY RED	EBONY	\$38,995	KA0225B	\$37,995
2006	CONVERT	AUTO 6SP	44,000	YELLOW	EBONY	\$36,995	KB0156B	\$35,995
2004	COUPE	AUTO 4SP	37,000	SILVER	LT GRAY	\$25,955	KA0215B	\$24,995
2001	CONVERT	6 SP MAN	30,775	SILVER	BLACK	\$24,995	KA0168B	\$23,995
1994	CONVERT	AUTO	44,198	WHITE	RED	\$16,995	KB0182AA	\$15,995
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