

MIDWEST REGION

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When I volunteered three years ago to be the MWR RE, I had no idea how much I was going to enjoy being RE! So last fall it was a tough decision when I decided to run for NCCC Treasurer, knowing that I would have to give up the RE job. But when Dale Samuelson agreed to run for RE, my worries were gone as I knew the Region would be in good hands. He'll have the support of our returning Officers, Bill (RCD), Jeanne (Secretary), and Joan (Webmaster), along with the new and highly qualified Officers, Gordon Green (Treasurer), and Steve Grabenstetter (RMD). We thank Diane Wagner for serving as Treasurer last year and Sandy Arnold for her years of service as RMD and look forward to her making NCCC better as she takes on the role of VP of Membership. Also, a big thanks to our outgoing Governor's, Dave Heinemann, Tom Reitz, John Severs, Gordon Green, and Jim Redmond for many, many total years of service to NCCC and the MWR.

Has everyone heard that the MWR is putting on the 2025 Convention? This is a great opportunity to socialize with other Corvette enthusiasts in the Wisconsin Dells Saturday August 16th- Friday August 22nd. There are so many activities to choose from. Four of the days offer various bus tours and one day has a self-driving caravan tour. Most evenings will have free parties with live entertainment and if you want, you can register for dinner too. On the couple of evenings without parties, you can register for a Sunset Dinner Cruise. The Hospitality Room is open every day, all day, and serves free beer and wine and is a great place to hang out. If you want to meet people, it's easy to do at the dinners, on the tours, and in the Hospitality Room (you'll have something in common). Registration opened Feb 1st and some of the tours will fill up right away so register early and get on a wait list if offered as they may add more buses if they can for those tours that have a lot of interest. Also, I'm going to give a plug for the Valve Cover races on Thursday night because I'm chairing that event! Everything you need to know about our MWR Convention (including Valve Cover racing rules) can be found on the NCCC website under "Conventions". Hope to see you there!

Linda Fairlamb MW – RE

The 2024 season is over - congratulations to our top competitors, workers and clubs.

	<u>MENS</u>	<u>LADIES</u>	<u>CLUBS</u>
1	TIM WOOD	LINDA FAIRLAMB	MAD CITY VETTES
2	BRIAN EICHORN	DIANE WAGNER	NOFRTHERN RAYS LTD.
3	RONALD FRANK	JOAN THOMAS	BADGER STATE VETTES
4	BILL DOCHERTY JR.	SANDY GREEN	ROUTE 66 CORVETTE CLUB
5	DAN WAGNER	JOYCE MILLER	WINDY CITY CORVETTES, INC.
6	GORDON GREEN	JOANN CIZEL	
7	STEVEN SALEFSKY	JEANNE CASSEL	
8	JOE ELLER	ANGIE MIDKIFF	
9	TONY CIZEL	CHRIS REITZ	
10	FRED MARANO	ROBYN WOOD	
	<u>WORKERS</u>		
1	ROBYN WOOD		
2	DALE SAMUELSON		
3	DANUTA HAFTARSKI		
4	RON KUHN		
5	DEBBY HOWARD		
6	JACK HOWARD		
7	SUZI MARANO		
8	CATHY DRIFTMIER		
9	GENE POST		
10	GREG GOETSCH		
		<u>Autocross Champions</u>	
		Tim Wood and Linda Fairlamb	
		<u>Car Show Champions</u>	
		Tony and Joan Beck	
		<u>Rallye Champions</u>	
		Tim and Robyn Wood	

Our 2025 schedule is almost set and our Region continues to be one of the busiest in NCCC with events of all types. While our cars may be in storage, now is the time to prepare for 2025. The Southeast and Midwest Regions will partner for a 14-event Low Speed weekend at the NCM Motorsports Park skid pad to start the 2025 season. We hope you join us for a great event weekend in April.

Best Wishes to our Regional Officers moving on to the National Stage. Sandy Arnold from RMD to VP of Membership and Linda Fairlamb from RE to Treasurer.

The 2025 Convention looks to be a great one with top-notch tours and events at Wisconsin Dells. The weeks schedule and other details are available on the NCCC and Midwest websites.

Bill Docherty MW-RCD

So many things have changed since my last report. The weather has gotten much colder, the holidays are upon us and our NCCC renewals are finished. Membership Renewals started slowly and as I sit here writing this report, I have one club left who hasn't completed their renewals. There were several MAL's who dropped out this year. We haven't lost any clubs.

As many of you know, this will be my last RMD report for the Midwest Region. After lengthy deliberation - actually four years - I decided to run for NCCC VP of Membership. Before you get this report, I will have started my new position as VP. Please welcome the new Midwest Region Membership Director, Steve Grabenstetter. He will do a great job! As always, I am available to all of you.

Thank you for all your hard work, kind words and support over the past six years, it's truly been my pleasure working with every one of you!

Sandy Arnold MW-RMD